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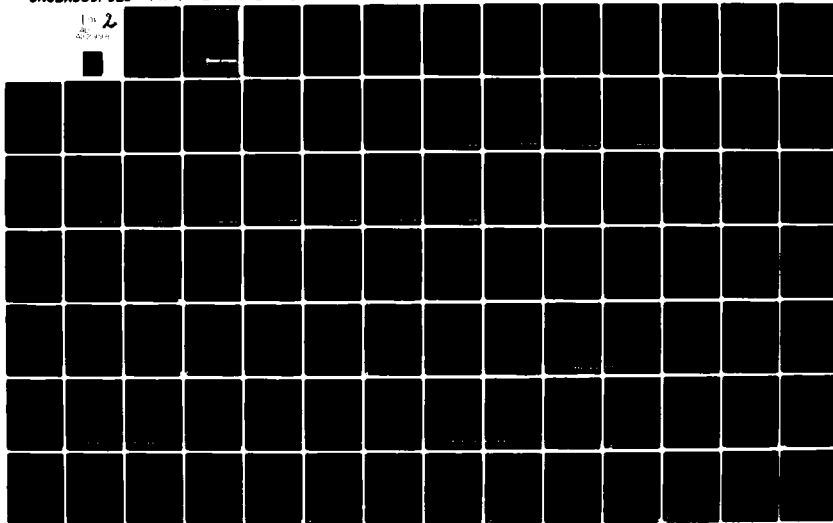
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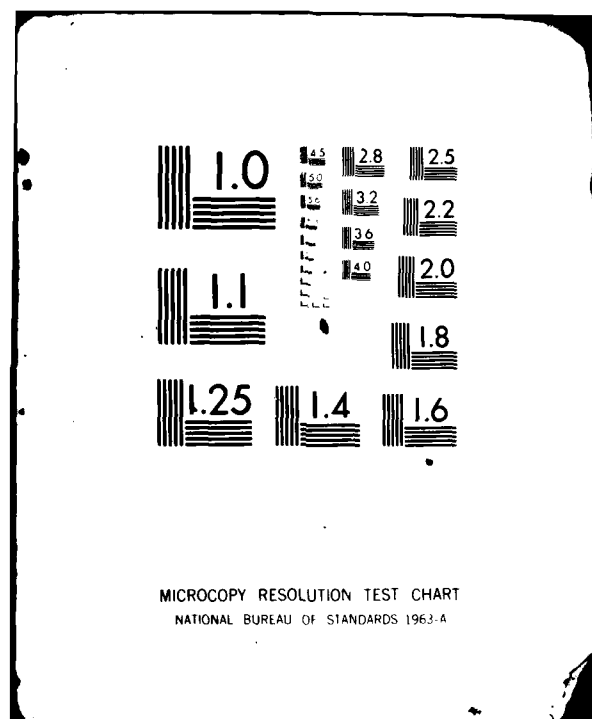
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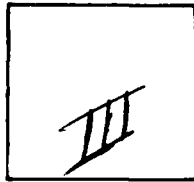
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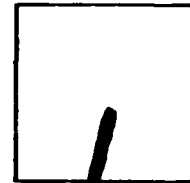


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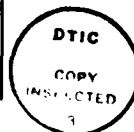
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FOREWORD

This volume of geotechnical data was compiled for the Department of the Air Force, Ballistic Missile Office (BMO), in compliance with Contract No. F04704-80-C-0006, CDRL Item D04A2. It contains the field data and laboratory test results from the investigation of Ralston Valley. A synthesis of these data is available in Volume I (FN-TR-27-RV-I).

The data in each section of this volume are preceded by an explanation of the format and terms used in the compilation.

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SECTION 1.0
GEOLOGIC STATION DATA

1.0 EXPLANATIONS OF GEOLOGIC STATION DATA

Geologic stations were established at selected locations throughout the valley at which detailed descriptions of surficial basin-fill deposits or rock were recorded. Locations of all geologic stations are shown in Drawing II-1-1, Activity Location Map (in pocket). All data taken on surficial basin-fill units at these stations are listed in Table II-1-1 and an explanation of the column headings in the table is given below. At stations where rock descriptions were made, only geologic unit designations are listed. A general explanation of all geologic unit symbols used in Verification Studies is included at the end of this section.

Column Heading
Table II-1-1

Explanation

Station Number	Geologic stations are numbered sequentially. Where more than one geologic field team worked in a CDP, stations made by each team are differentiated with a letter (A, B, or C) following the station number.
Geologic Unit	Generic geologic unit only, i.e. the grain-size designation (f, s, g, c) is omitted from surficial basin-fill units. The letter B in the unit designation indicates a buried deposit not exposed at the surface.
MPS MM	Average maximum particle size in millimeters.
Grain Size (%B, %C, %G, %S, %F)	Estimated particle size distribution using the Unified Soil Classification System. Percentages of boulders (%B) and cobbles (%C) are based on the entire deposit, whereas percentages of gravel (%G), sand (%S) and fines (%F) are taken only on the fraction composed of particles less than 3 inches (76 mm) in diameter.
USCS	Soil class according to the Unified Soil Classification System.

Munsell Color Soil color based on Munsell Soil Color Chart.

Source Rock Rock types of coarse clasts listed in order of
Types(s) abundance.

* Physical
Properties

Data listed in columns 6 through 15 address specific soil properties. These are listed below in parentheses following the column heading number and are also listed at the bottom of Table II-1-1. Data are coded with each numerical entry referring to a specific soil condition as listed below.

- 6 (Grain Shape) 1) Angular, 2) Subangular, 3) Subrounded,
4) Rounded, 5) Well rounded
- 7 (Moisture 1) Dry, 2) Moist, 3) Wet
Content)
- 8 (Plasticity 1) None, 2) Low, 3) Medium, 4) High
of Fines)
- 9 (Consistency) Coarse grained: 1) Very Loose, 2) Loose,
3) Medium Dense, 4) Dense, 5) Very Dense,

Fine grained: 1) Soft, 2) Firm, 3) Stiff,
4) Hard
- 10 (Structure) 1) Stratified Tabular, 2) Stratified Other
(lensed, cross bedded, discontinuous beds),
3) Nonstratified
- 11 (Cementation 1) None, 2) Weak, 3) Moderate, 4) Strong
Induration)
- 12 (Depth to Depth to layer (in centimeters) exhibiting
Cemented cementation induration described in Column 11
Layers) (above)
- 13 (Weathering 1) Fresh, 2) Slight, 3) Moderate, 4) Very
of clasts)
- 14 (Soil 1) None (A-C profile), 2) Poor (incipient
Profile B-horizon), 3) Well (prominant B-horizon)
Development)
- 15 (Caliche 1) Stage I, 2) Stage II, 3) Stage III,
Development) 4) Stage IV, 5) None

Drainage

DP (M)	Average depth of drainages (in meters)
WD (M)	Average width of drainages (in meters)
Slope (%)	Average slope of ground surface (in percent grade)
Sample	Number of samples taken

GENERALIZED GEOLOGIC UNITSExplanation

Surficial Basin-fill Units

- A1 Younger Fluvial Deposits - Major modern stream channel and flood-plain deposits.
- A2 Older Fluvial Deposits - Older incised stream channel and flood-plain deposits in elevated terraces bordering major modern drainages.
- A3 Eolian Deposits - Wind-blown deposits of sand occurring as either thin sheets (A3s) or dunes (A3d).
- A4 Playa and Lacustrine Deposits - Deposits occurring in modern, active playas (A4) or in either inactive playas or older lake beds and abandoned shorelines associated with extinct lakes (A4o).
- A5 Alluvial Fan Deposits - Alluvial deposits consisting of debris flow and water-laid alluvium near mountain fronts, grading into predominantly water-laid alluvium deposited in shifting distributary channels near the basin center. Younger (A5y), intermediate (A5i), and older (A5o) alluvial fans are differentiated by surface soil development, terrain conditions, and present depositional/erosional environment.

Grain sizes of these deposits (except A3 deposits, which are exclusively sandy) are indicated by a single letter (f, s, g, or c) following the geologic unit symbol. These letters indicate the predominant grain size and range of soil types according to the Unified Soil Classification System.

- f - fine-grained (ML, CL, MH, CH)
- s - sands (SP, SW, SM, SC)
- g - gravels (GP, GW, GM, GC)
- c - coarse grained with greater than 30 percent boulders and cobbles (generally GP, GW, GM, GC)

ROCK UNITS

- I Igneous (undifferentiated). Rocks formed by solidification of a molten or partially molten mass.
 - I1 Intrusive - Plutonic rocks formed by solidification of molten material beneath the surface (e.g., granite, granodiorite, diorite, gabbro).
 - I2 Extrusive (intermediate and acidic) - Volcanic rocks of intermediate and acidic composition formed by solidification of molten material at or near the surface, (e.g., rhyolite, latite, dacite, andesite).
 - I3 Extrusive (basic) - Volcanic rocks of basic composition, generally formed by solidification of molten materials at or near the surface (e.g., basalt).
 - I4 Extrusive (pyroclastic) - Rocks formed by accumulation of volcanic ejecta (e.g., ash, tuff, welded tuff, agglomerate).
- S Sedimentary (undifferentiated) - Rocks formed by accumulation of clastic solids, organic solids and/or chemically precipitated minerals.
 - S1 Arenaceous and/or Siliceous Rocks - Composed of sand size particles (e.g., sandstone, orthoquartzite) or of cryptocrystalline silica (e.g., opal, chert).
 - S2 Carbonate Rocks - Composed predominantly of calcium carbonate detritus or chemical precipitates (e.g., limestone, dolomite, chalk).
 - S3 Argillaceous Rocks - Composed of clay and silt-sized particles (e.g., siltstone, shale, claystone).
 - S4 Evaporite Rocks - Precipitated from solution as a result of evaporation (e.g., halite, gypsum, anhydrite, sylvite).

- S5 Coarse Clastic Rocks - Composed of gravel sized or larger clasts (e.g., conglomerate, breccia).
- M Metamorphic (undifferentiated) - Rocks formed through recrystallization in the solid state of preexisting rocks by heat and pressure (e.g., gneiss, schist, hornfels, metaquartzite).

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PHYSICAL PROPERTIES
 0 = GRAIN SHAPE
 7 = MOISTURE CONTENT
 8 = PLASTICITY INDEX
 9 = CONSISTENCY
 10 = STRUCTURE
 11 = IDENTIFICATION
 12 = LENGTH OF TESTED LAYER (IN)
 13 = GRAIN SIZE (IN)
 14 = SOIL SAMPLE LOCATION
 15 = COLOR (MUNSEL)

NOTE: GEOLOGIC STATIONS WHICH WERE USED ONLY FOR SITE SPECIFIC PHOTOGRAPHIC CHECKS AND/OR FOR GEOLOGIC DESCRIPTIONS ARE NOT LISTED.

GEOLOGIC STATION DATA
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SECTION 2.0
GROUND-WATER DATA

2.0 EXPLANATIONS OF GROUND-WATER DATA

Existing ground-water data in Ralston Valley were collected from all available sources. These data were updated where possible from measurements taken during Fugro field operations, and all data are shown in Table II-2-1. Locations of water wells and boreholes in which water-level measurements were available are shown in Drawing II 1-1. Well numbers listed in the left hand column of Table II-2-1 refer to well locations shown on Drawing II-1-1. Actual well numbers giving location according to the Bureau of Land Management Land Survey System are shown in the second column.

Water levels generally refer to the static ground-water table in the unconfined basin-fill aquifer. Perched conditions or levels in artesian aquifers are noted where known.

WELL NO.	WELL LOCATION NUMBER*	ELEVATION OF GROUND SURFACE - FEET (METERS) ABOVE M.S.L.	DEPTH OF WELL - FEET (METERS)	WATER LEVEL			REFERENCES**/REMARKS
				DEPTH BELOW GROUND SURFACE - FEET (METERS)	DATE MEASURED	ELEVATION - FEET (METERS) ABOVE M.S.L.	
W1	4N/44E-08ab-2	5740 (1750)	80 (24.4)	9 (2.7)	1962	5731 (1747)	1,2,3
W2	4N/44E-08ba-1	5735 (1748)	83 (25.3)	9 (2.7)	1962	5726 (1745)	1,2,3
W3	4N/44E-08cc-1	5710 (1740)	38 (11.6)	8 (2.4)	1948	5702 (1738)	1,2,3
W4	4N/44E-18ad-2	5685 (1733)	47 (14.3)	11 (3.4)	1948	5674 (1729)	1,2,3
W5	4N/44E-19aa-1	5655 (1724)	55 (16.8)	8 (2.4)	1948	5647 (1721)	1,2,3
W6	3N/44E-16C-1	5487 (1672)	540 (164.6)	480 (146.3)	1947	5007 (1526)	1,2,3
W7	3N/44E-35d-1	5380 (1640)	— (—)	383 (116.7)	1960	4997 (1523)	1,2,3
W8	2N/44E-8b	5385 (1641)	264 (80.5)	>264 (>80.5)	—	<5121 (<1561)	1,2,3/ Dry
W9	2N/45E-21c-1	≈5250 (≈1600)	325 (99.1)	— (—)	—	— (—)	1,2,3/***

* Mount Diablo Baseline and Meridian

** References

1. Eakin, T. E., 1962
2. United States Geological Survey, 1980
3. Robinson, B. P., and Others, 1967
4. Nevada State Engineers Office, 1974

*** Depth to Water not reported.

NOTE: All wells tap unconfined alluvial aquifers except where noted. Where published data are lacking or inaccurate, ground surface elevations are taken from topographic maps.

GROUND-WATER DATA
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SECTION 3.0
SEISMIC REFRACTION DATA

3.0 EXPLANATIONS OF SEISMIC REFRACTION DATA

Note: There is no seismic refraction line designated as RV-S-11. Each figure shows seismic wave travel times plotted versus surface distance between the energy source (shot) and the detector (geophone) for a single seismic line. Distances are measured along the line from geophone number 1 which is designated as zero distance. Distances to the right (on the paper) of geophone 1 are positive. The direction arrow gives the approximate direction along the geophone array from geophone 1 to geophone 24.

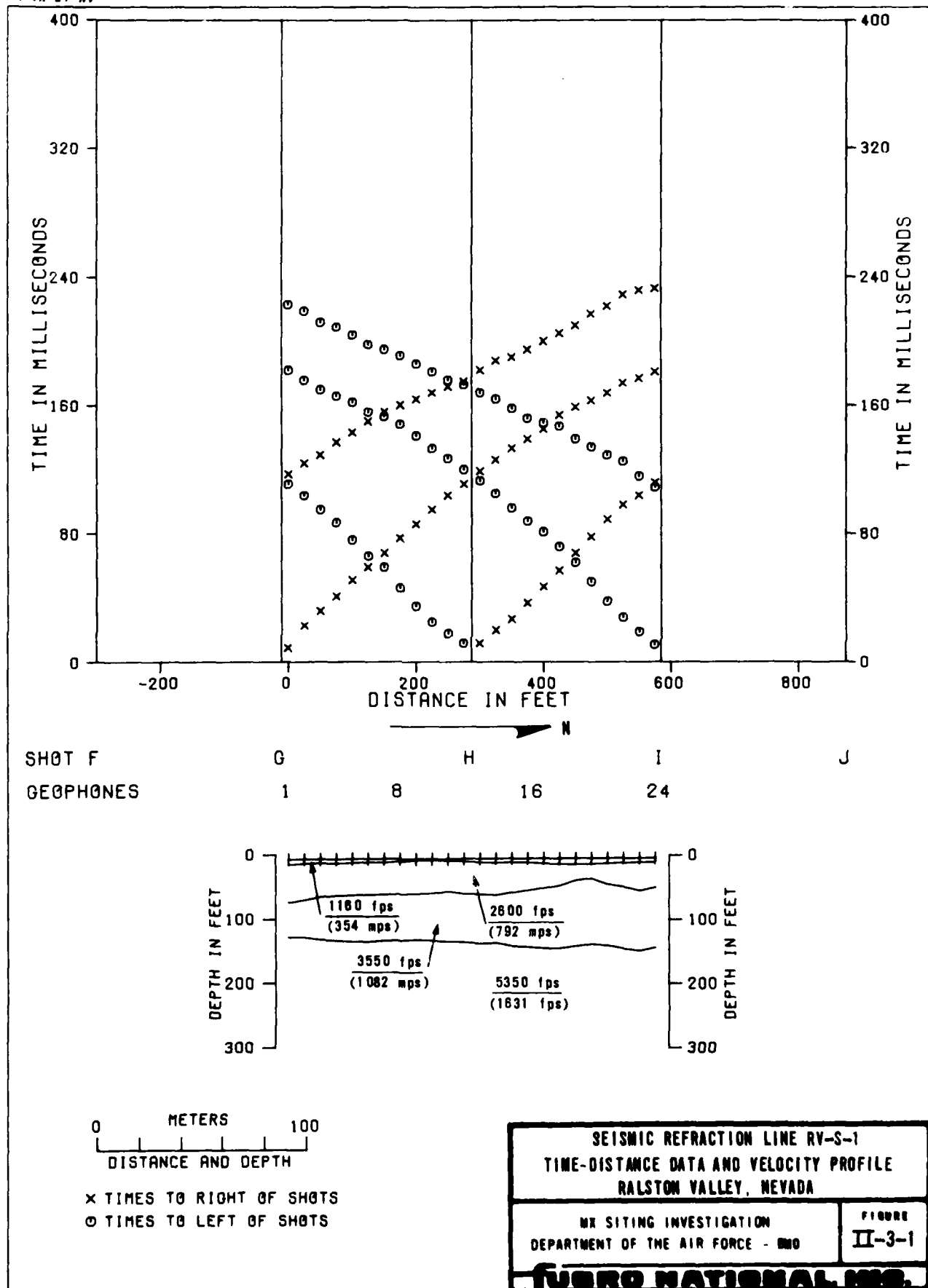
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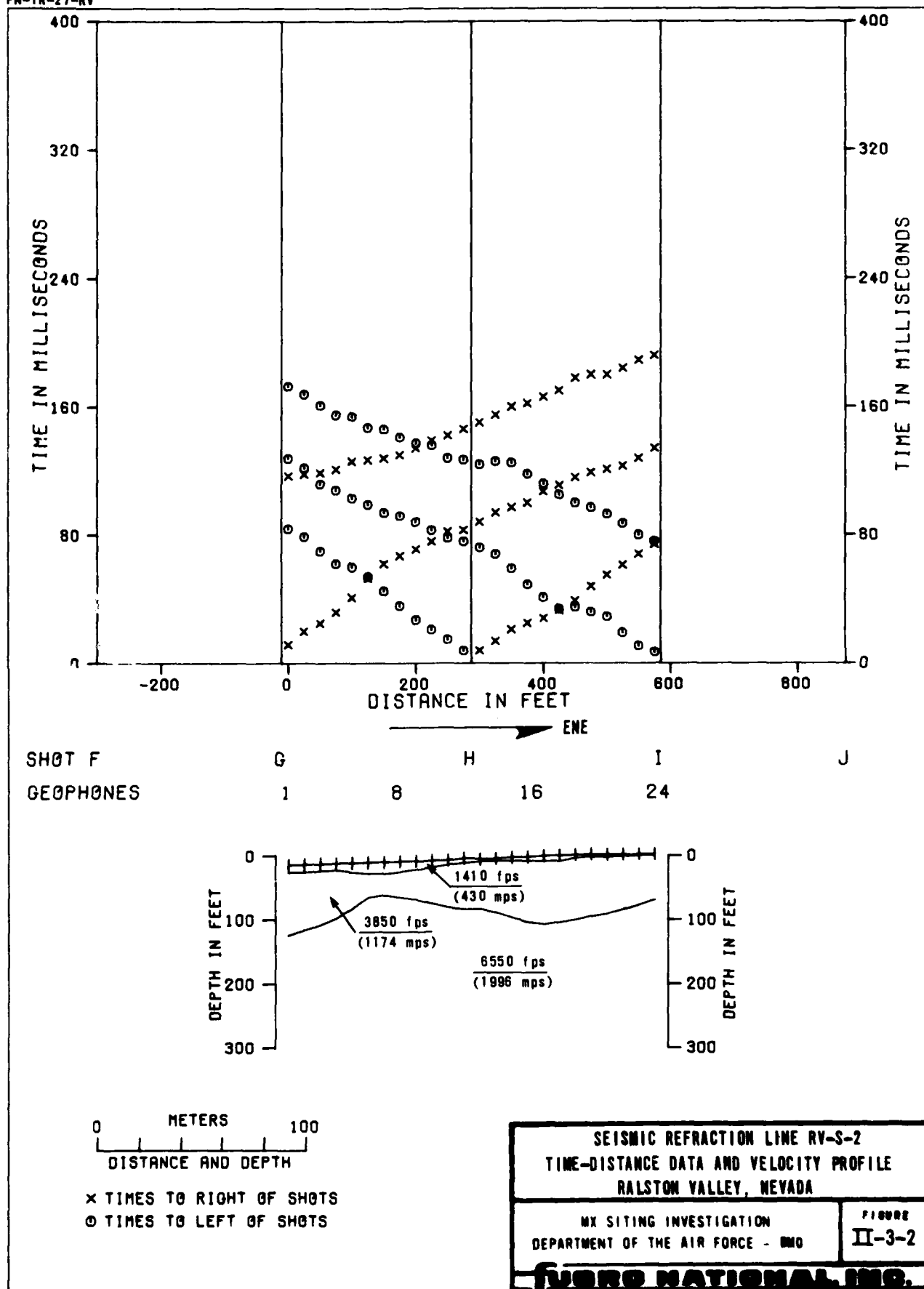
This is a travel time versus distance graph. The abscissa represents distance; the ordinate, time. The six vertical lines represent the locations of shots (designated as F, G, H, I, J, and K). The symbol, X, denotes travel times at geophones that were located to the right of a shot. The symbol, θ , denotes travel times that were located to the left of shots.

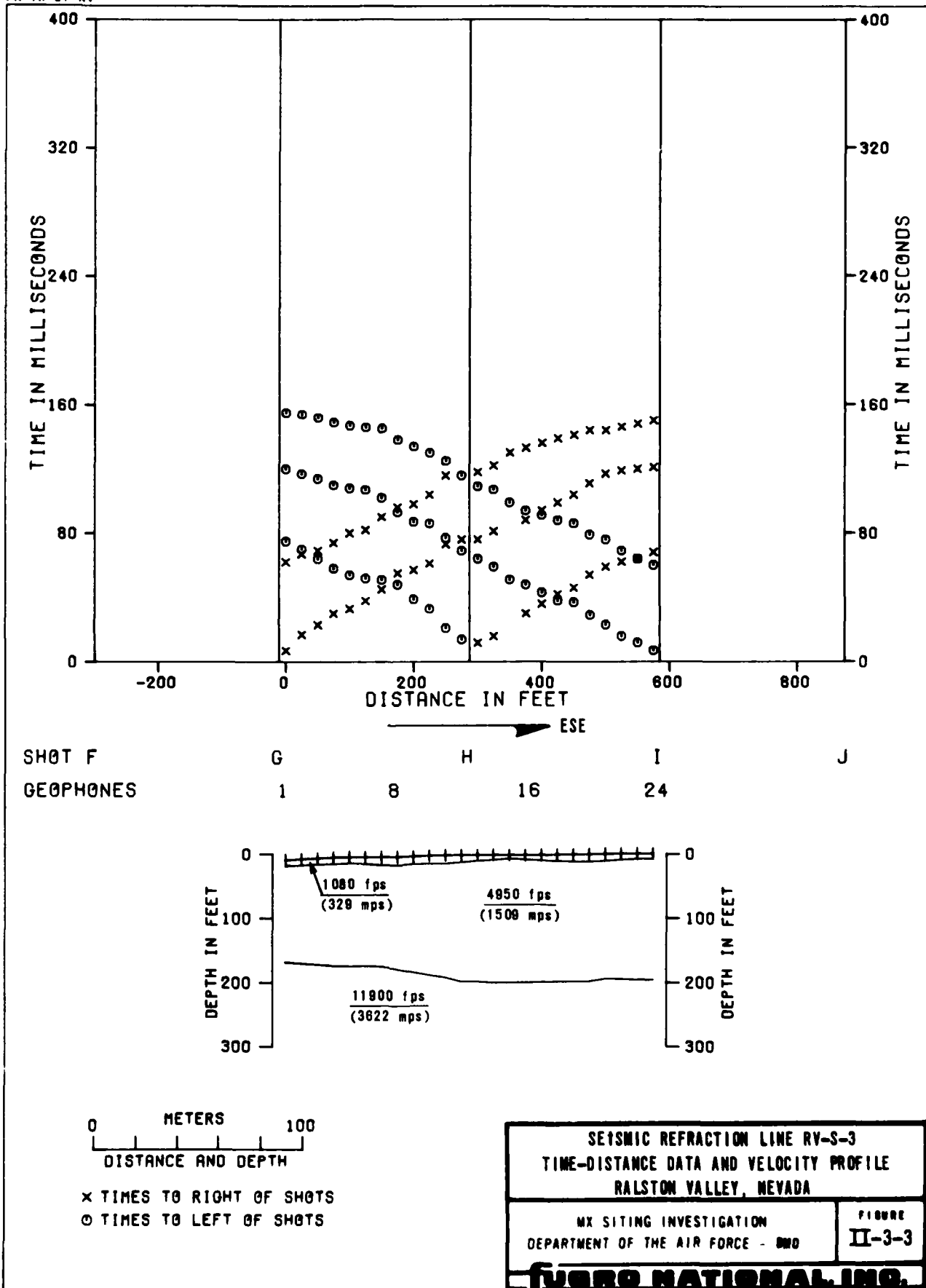
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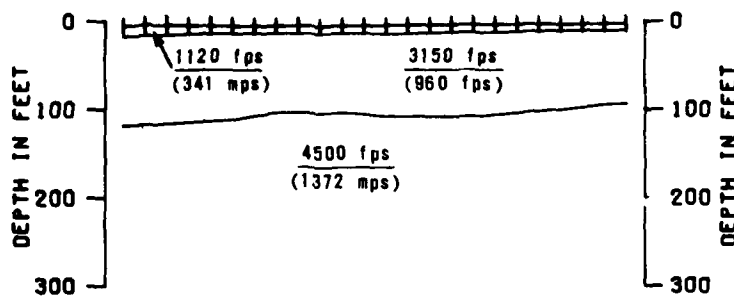
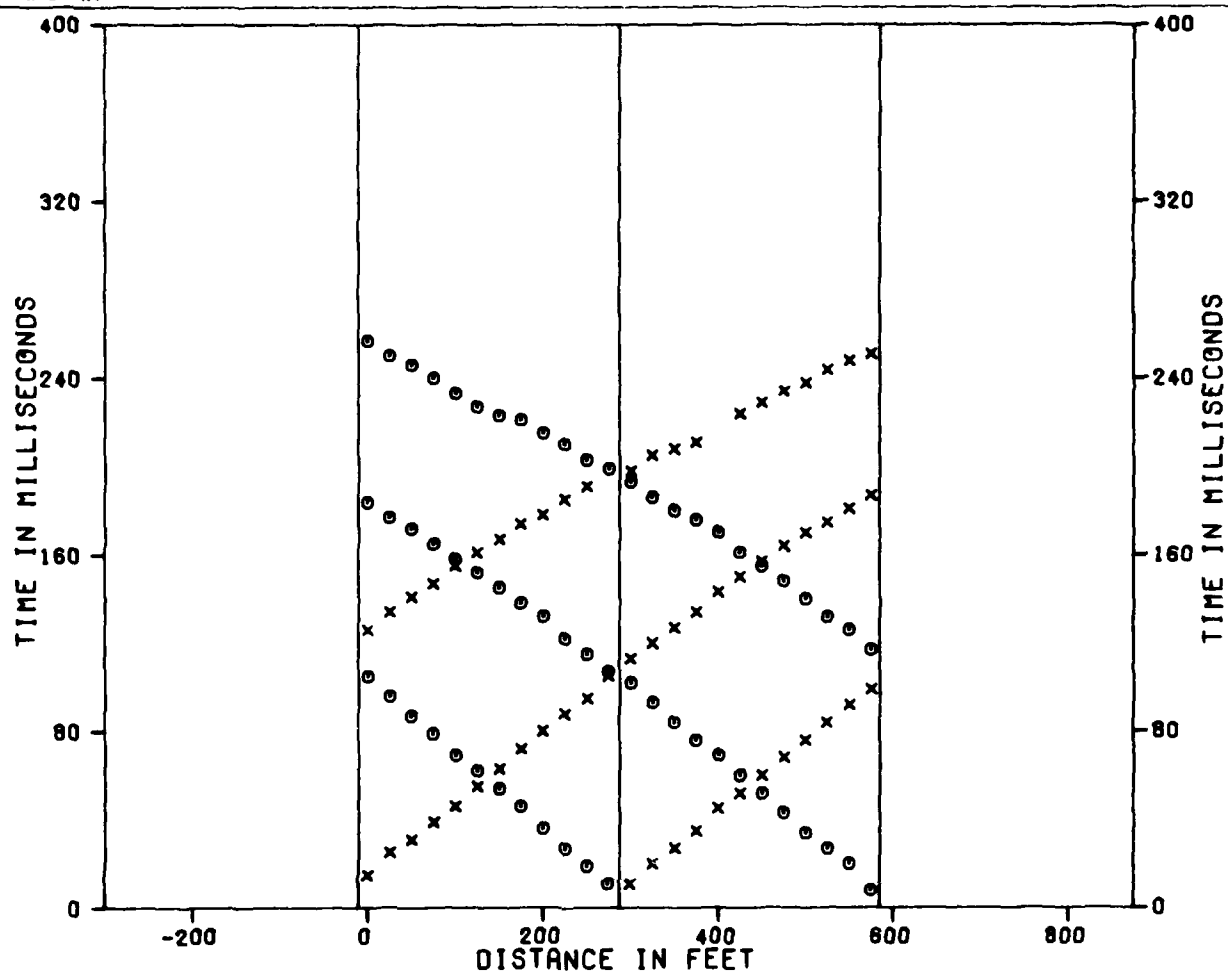
This is an interpreted velocity cross section beneath the seismic line. The top line represents the ground-surface profile. The short vertical lines crossing the top line mark the geophone positions. The depth scale is plotted relative to a point on the line which was arbitrarily chosen as "zero elevation" at the time the line was surveyed. The additional lines across the cross section represent the interpreted boundaries between layers of material with different compressional wave

velocities. These boundaries are commonly called "refractors". The velocity interpreted to be representative of each layer is shown.









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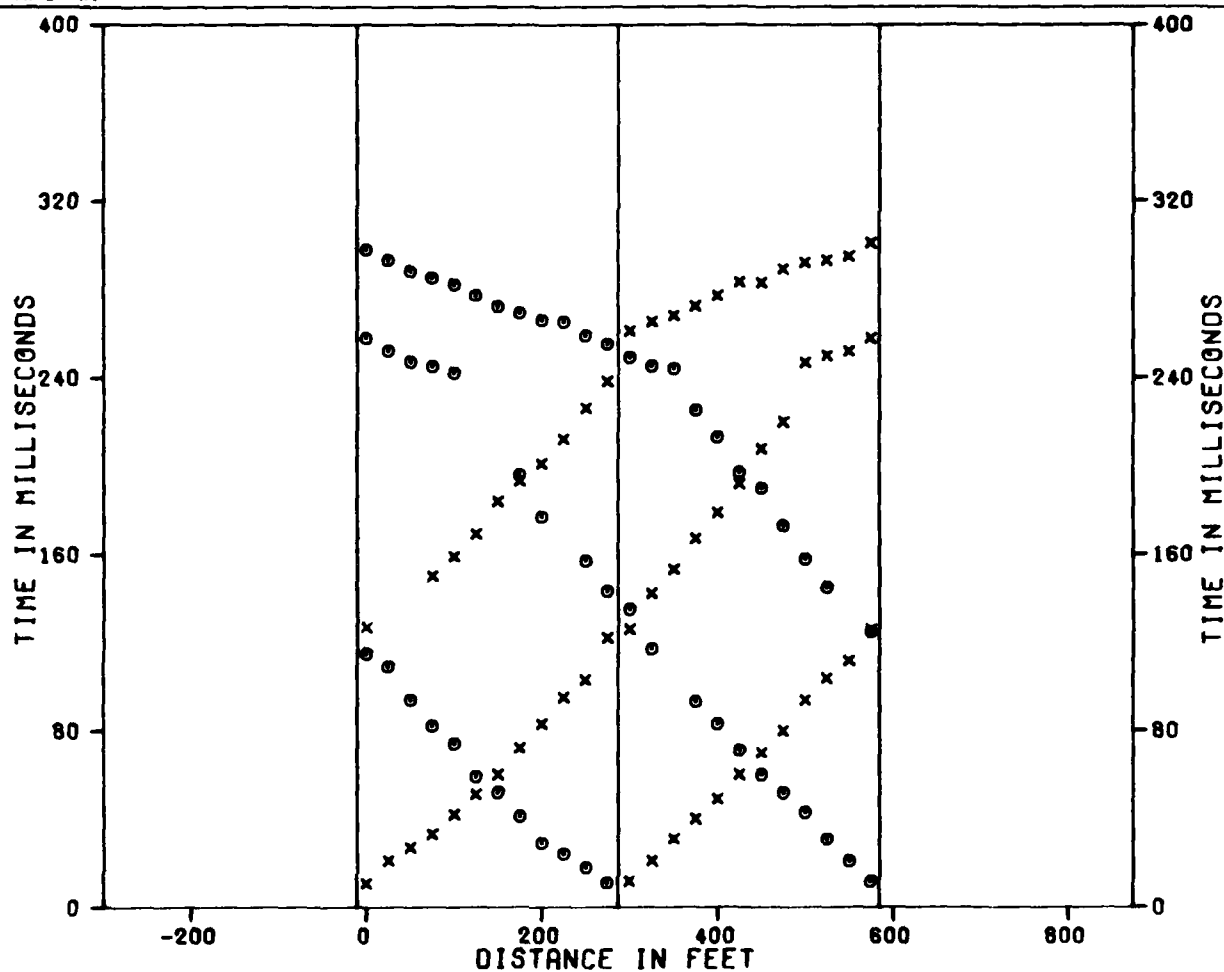
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SEISMIC REFRACTION LINE RV-S-4
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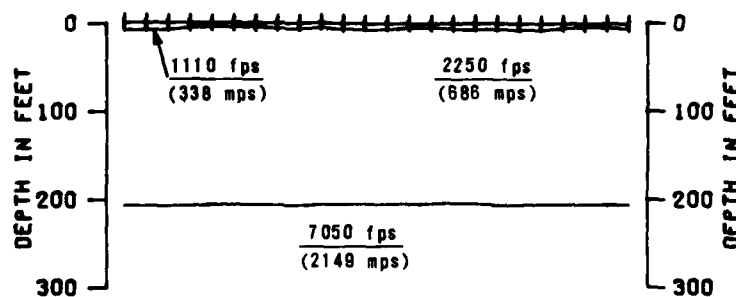
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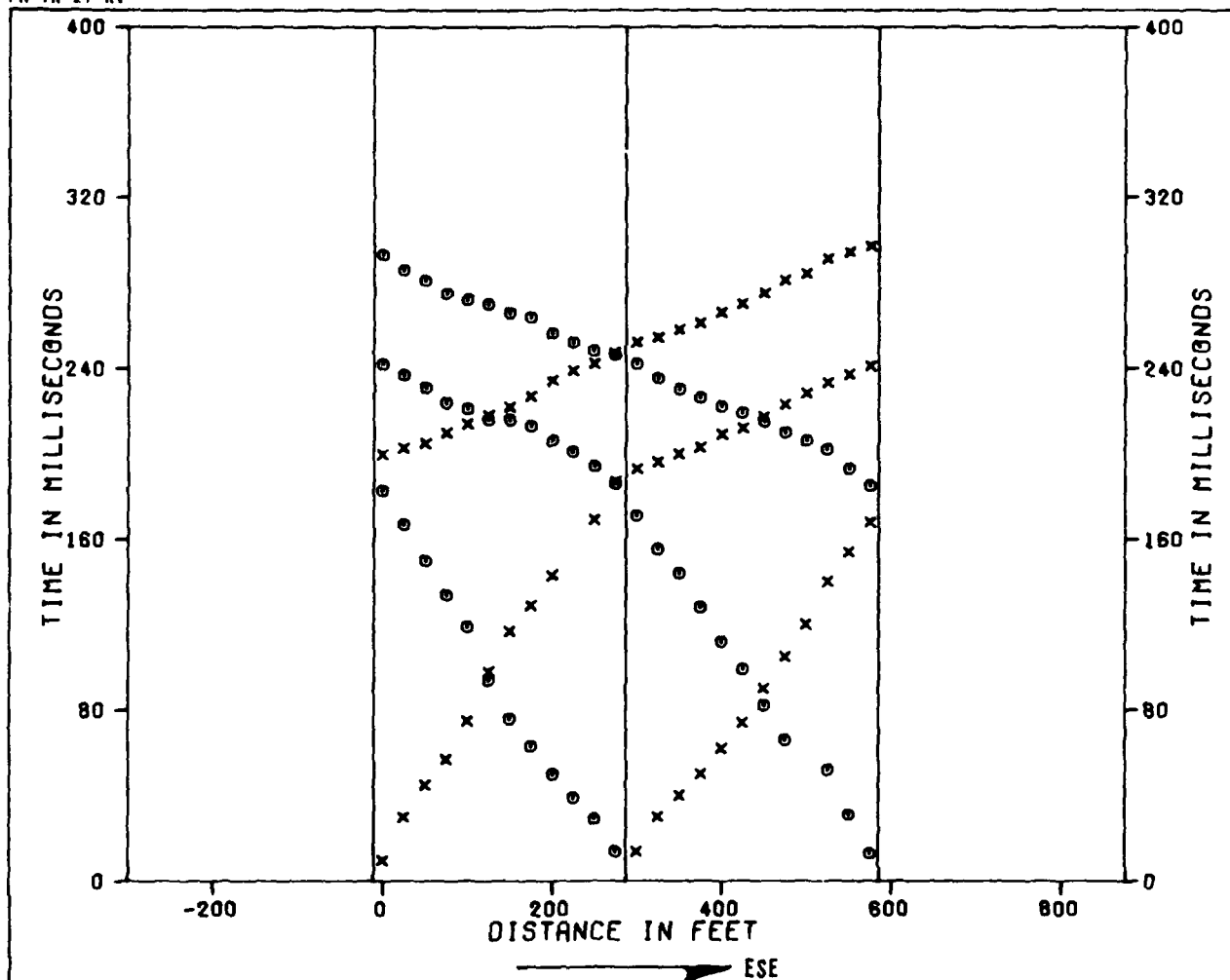
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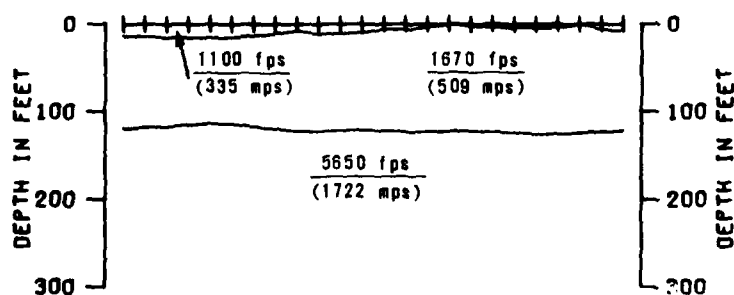
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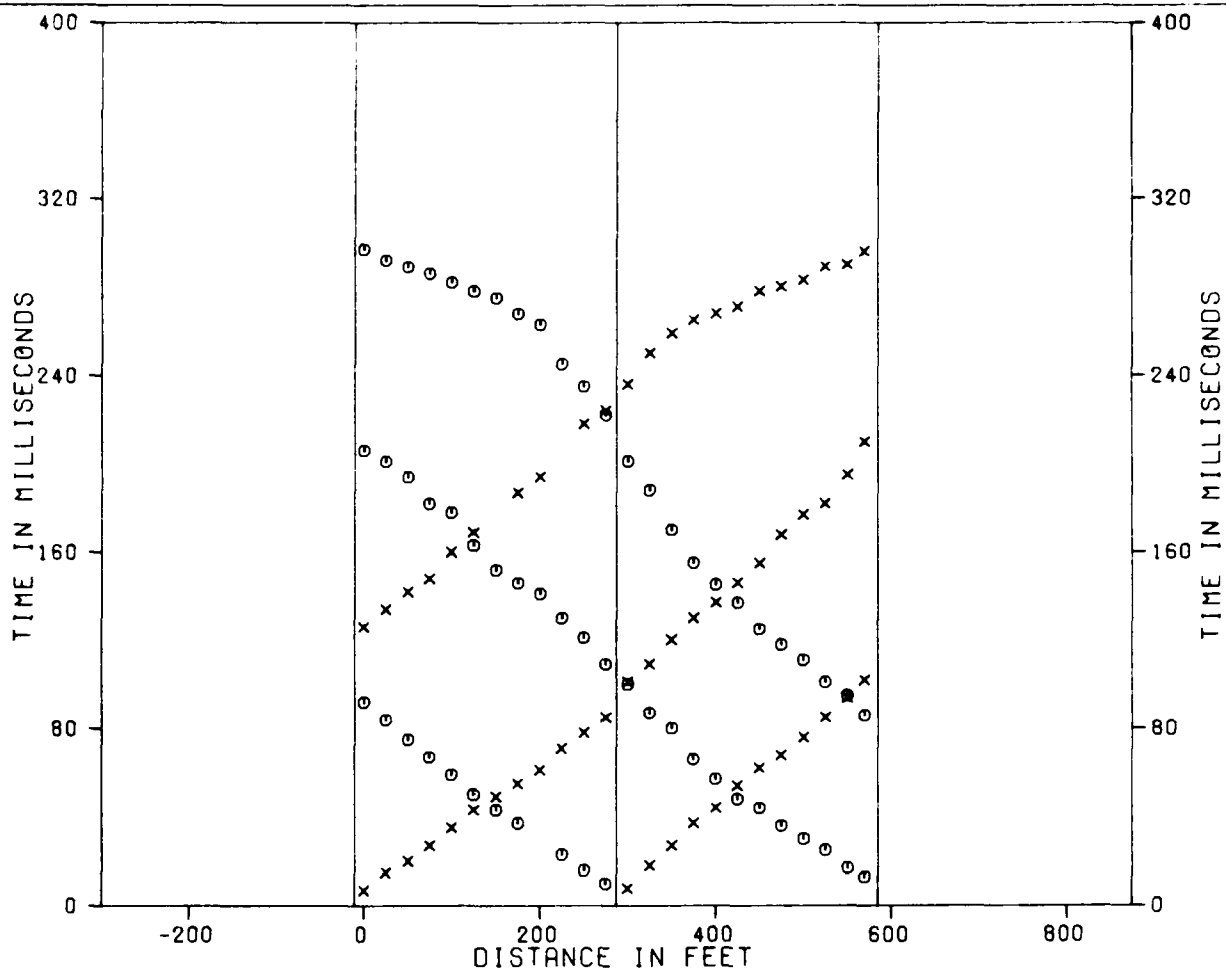
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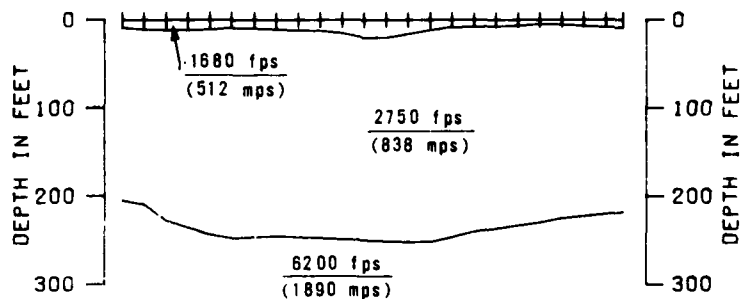
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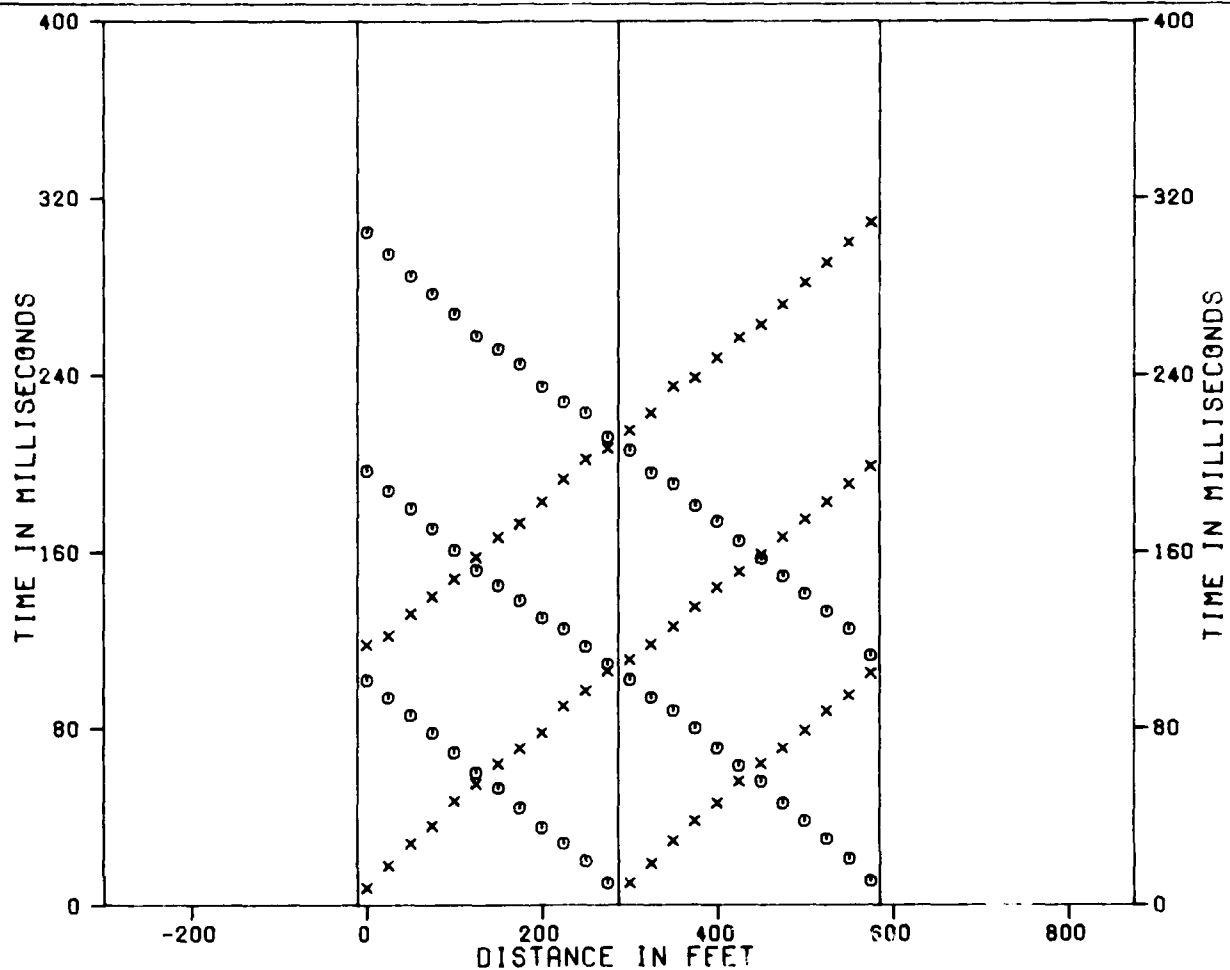
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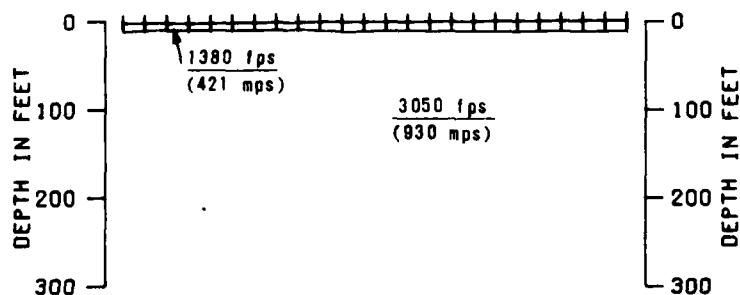
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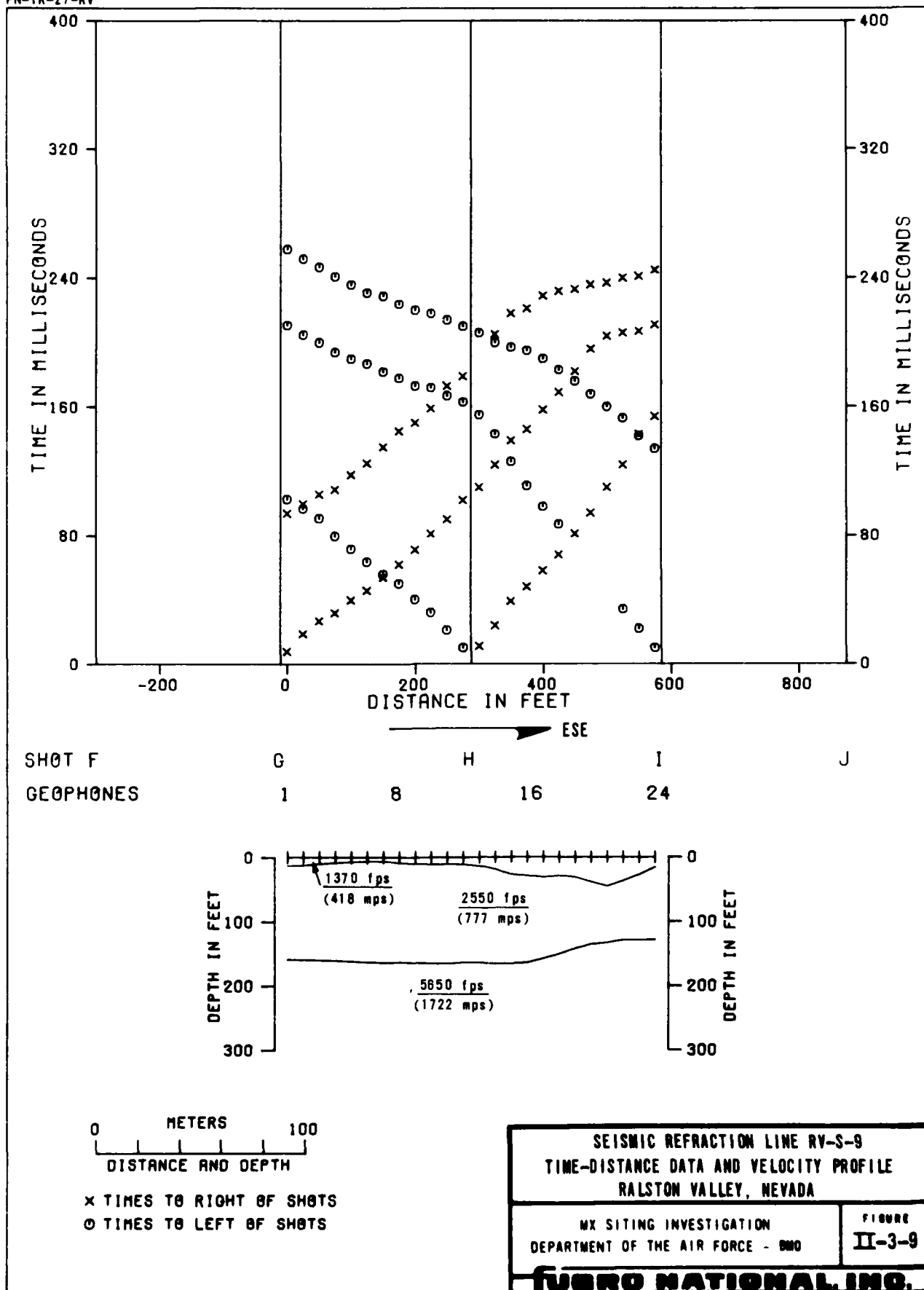
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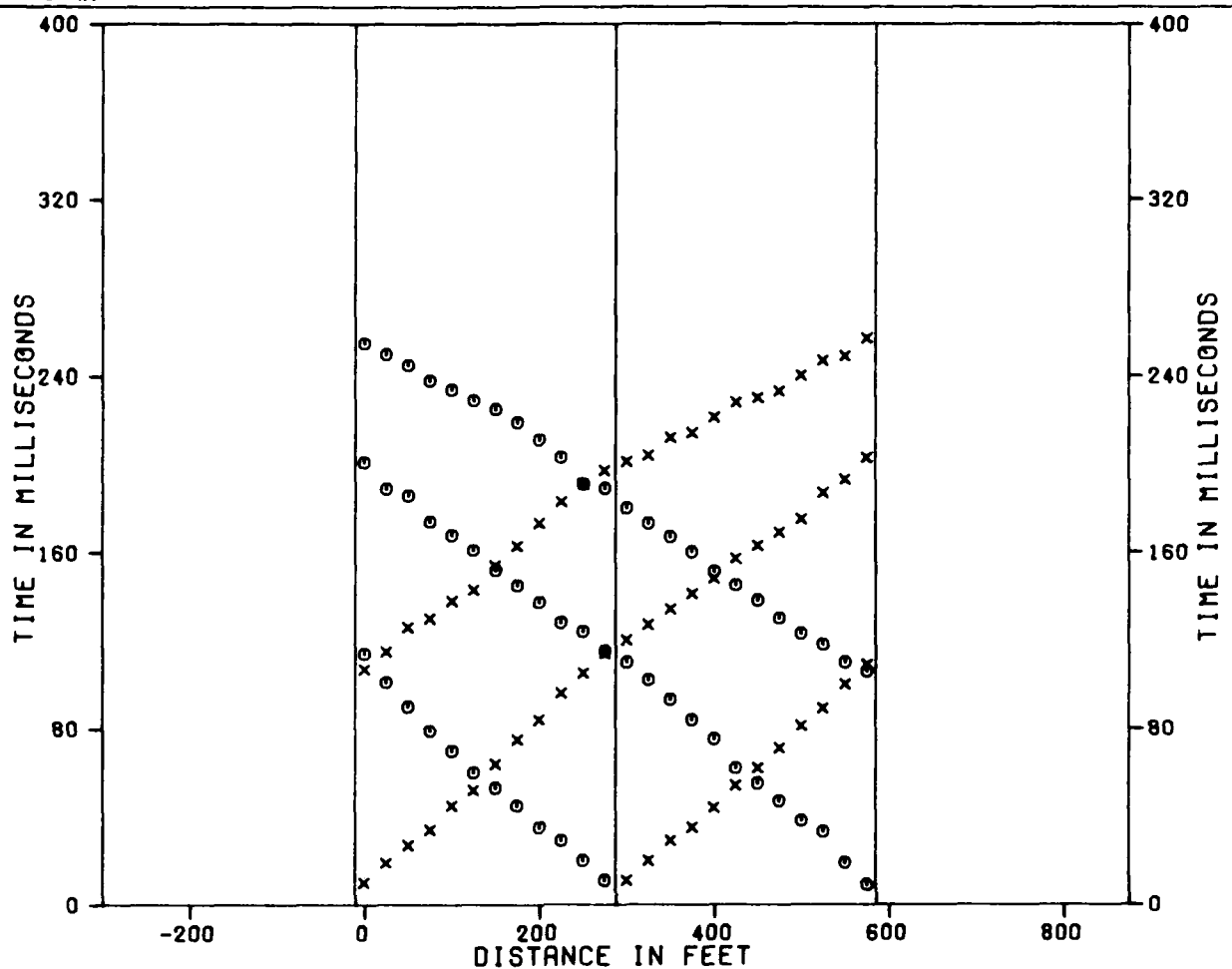
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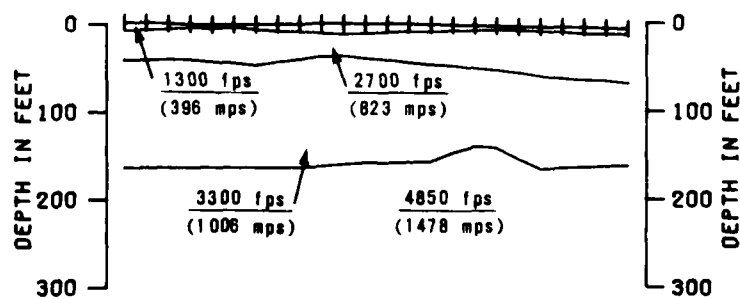
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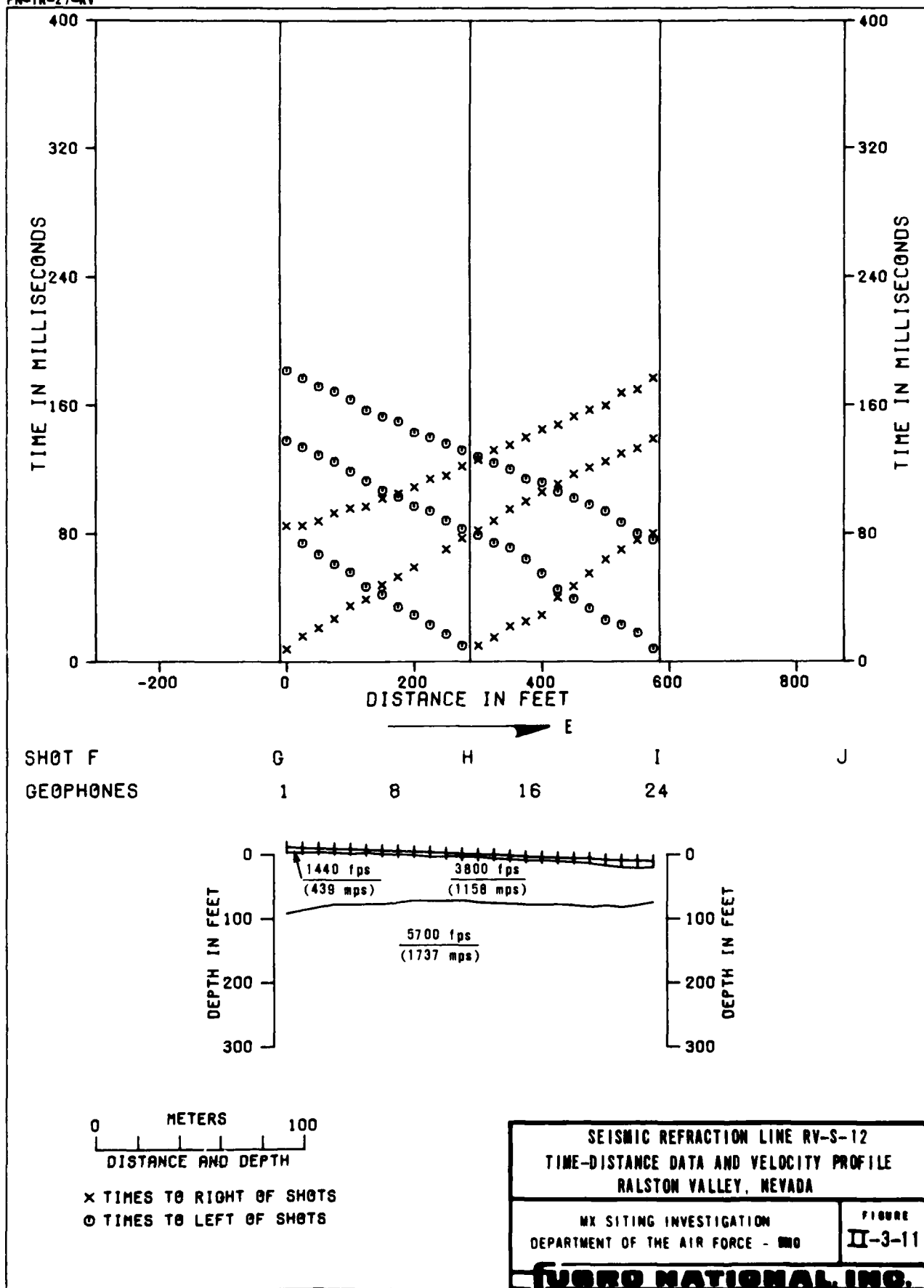
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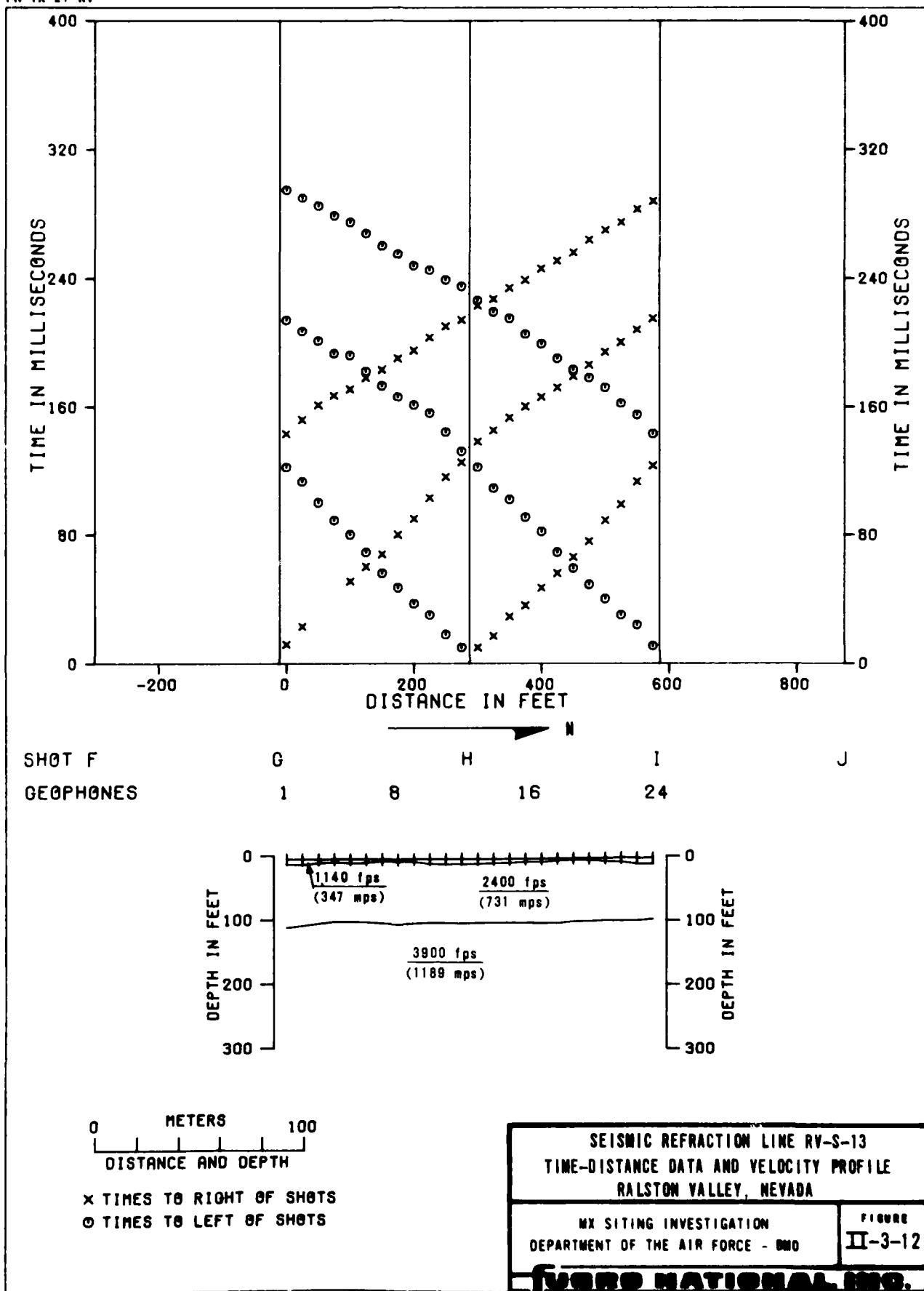
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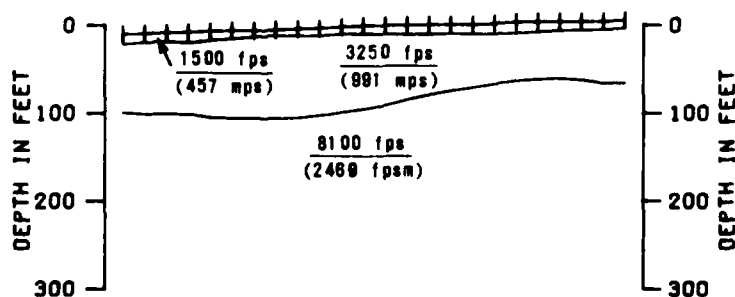
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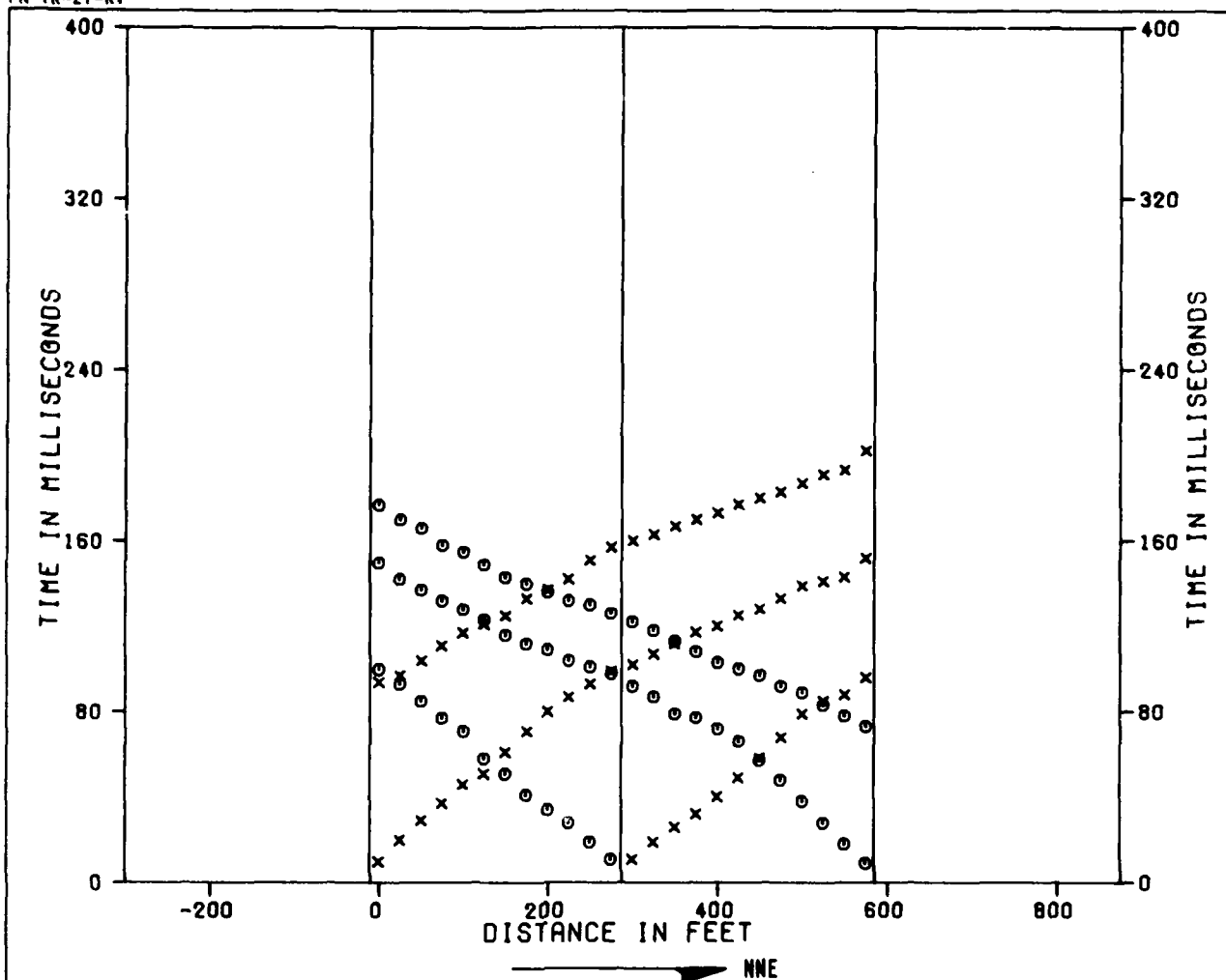
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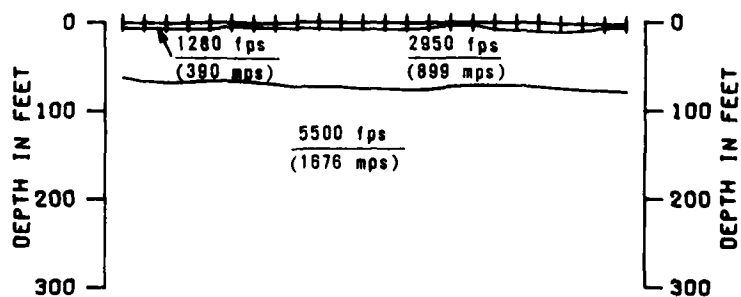
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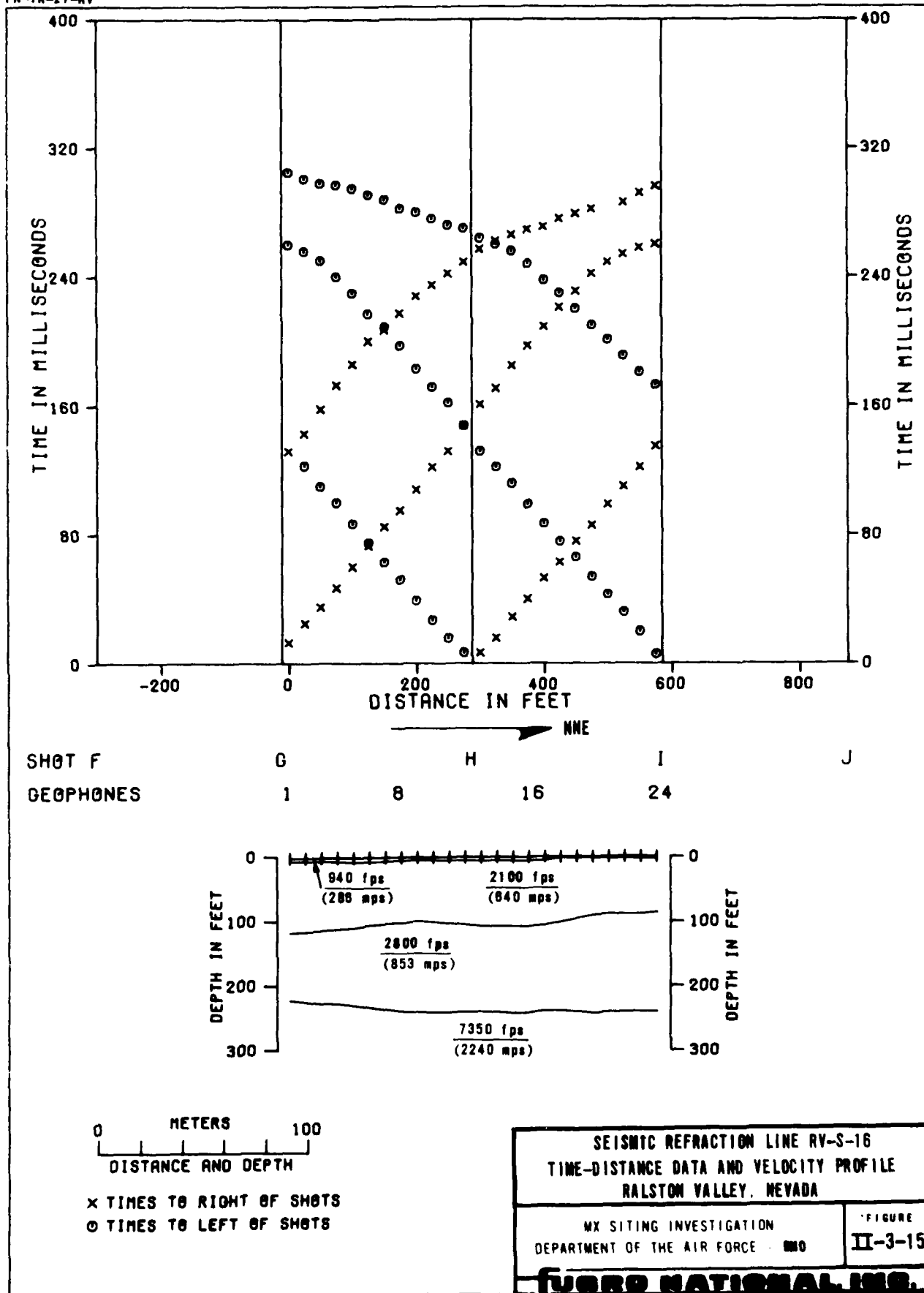
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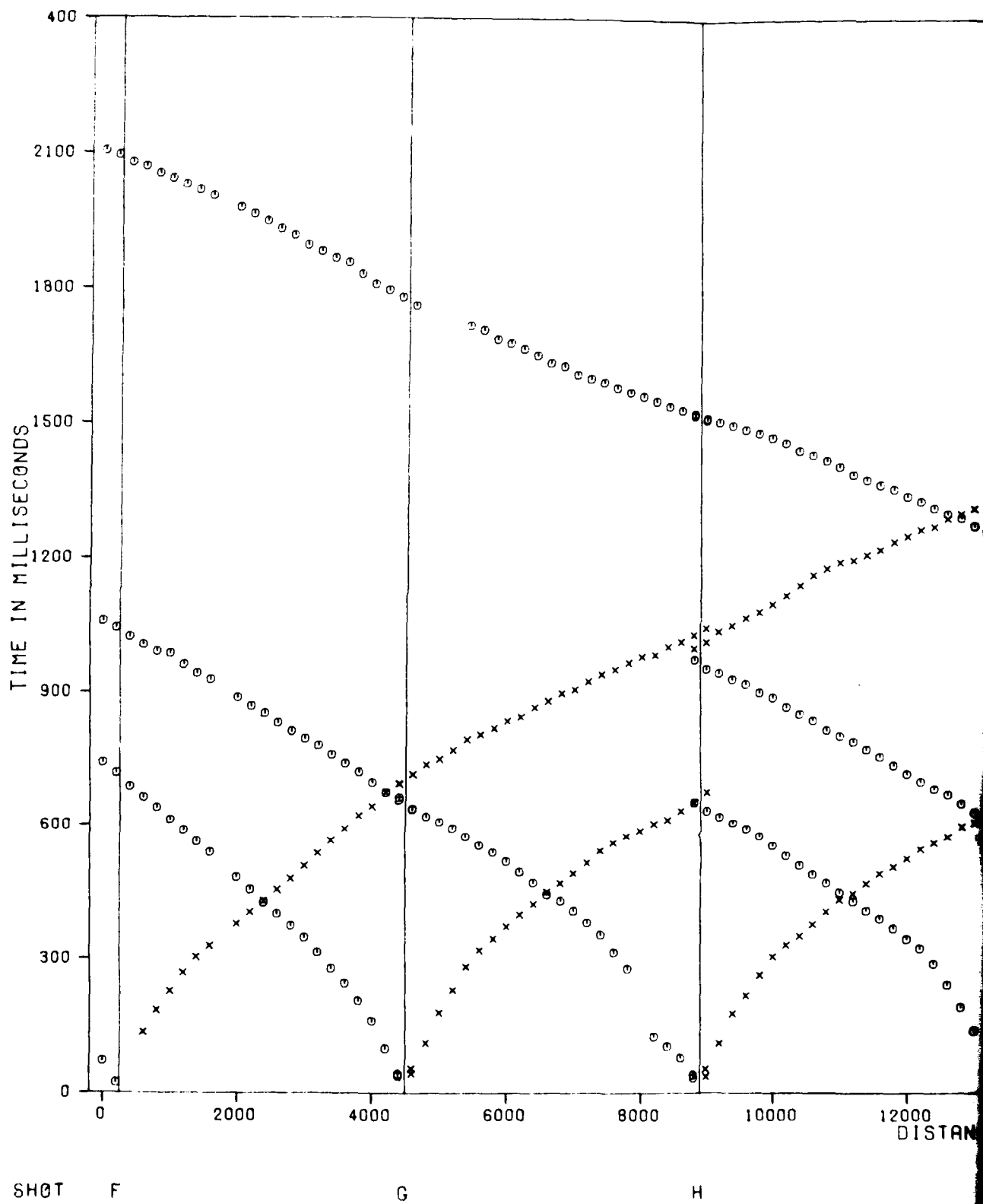
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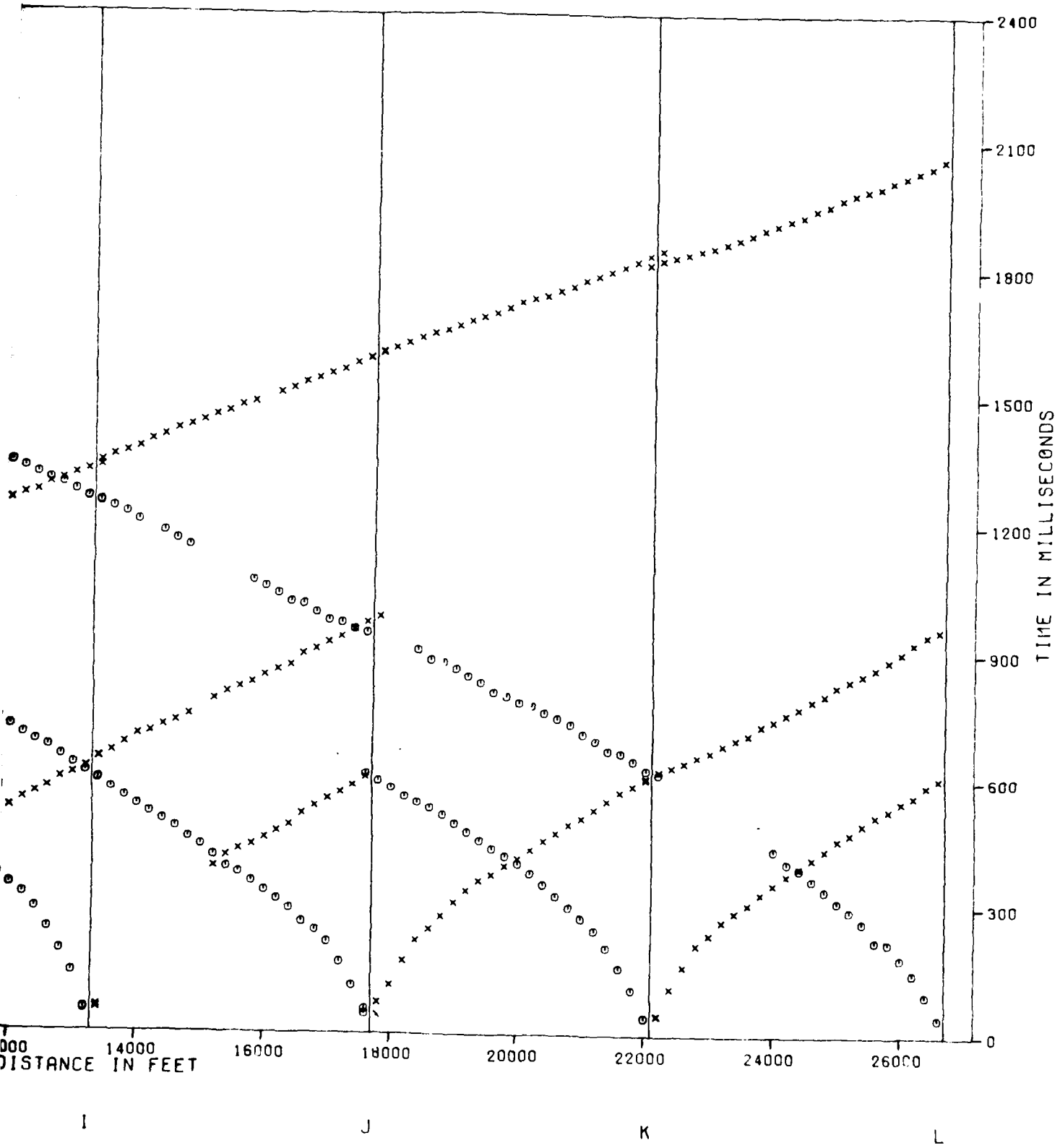
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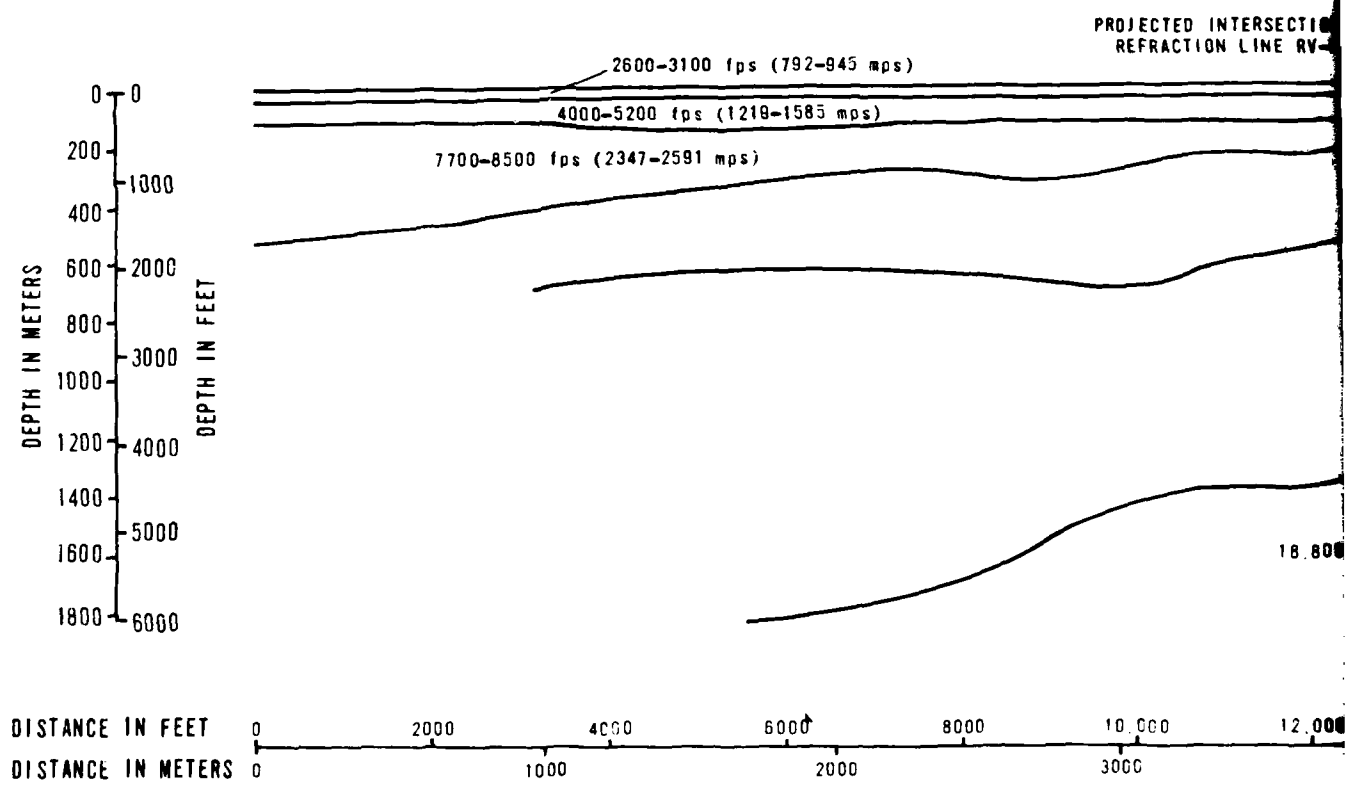
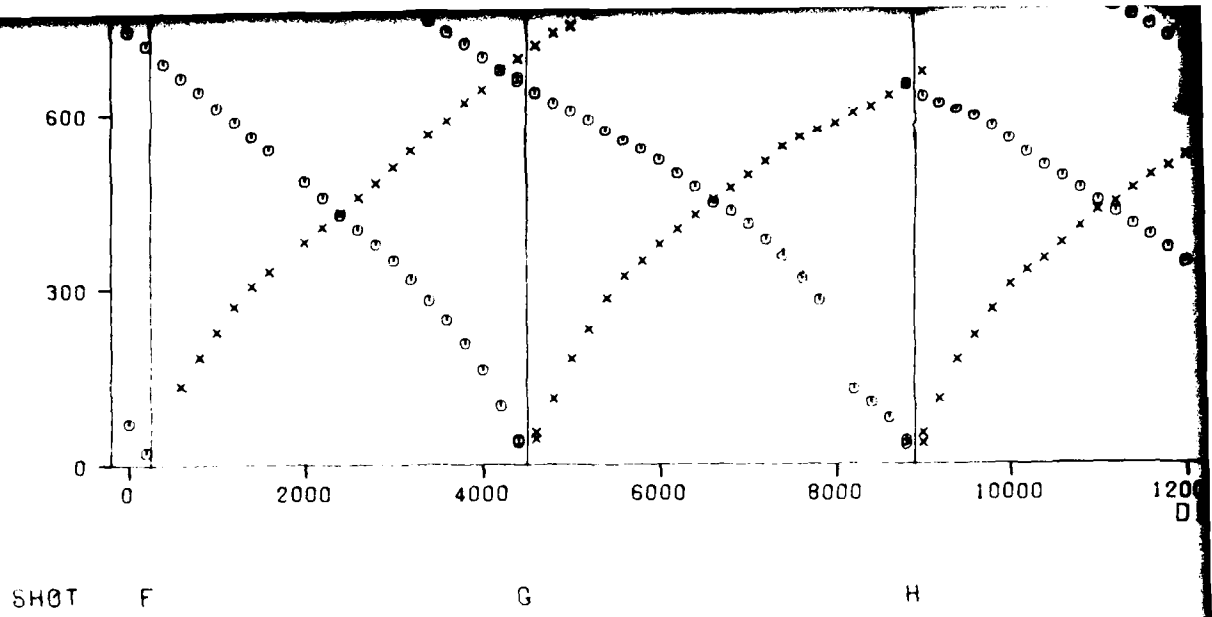


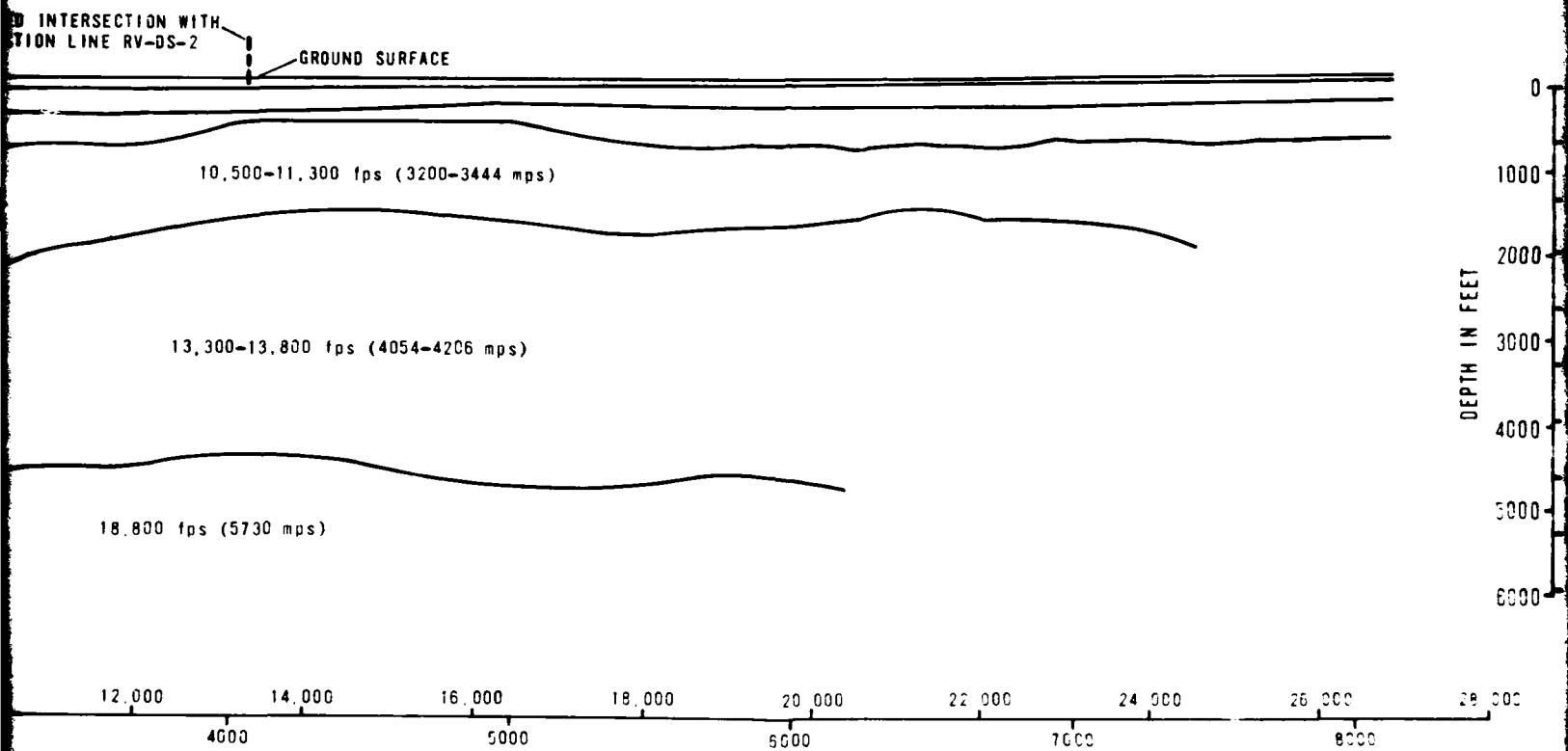
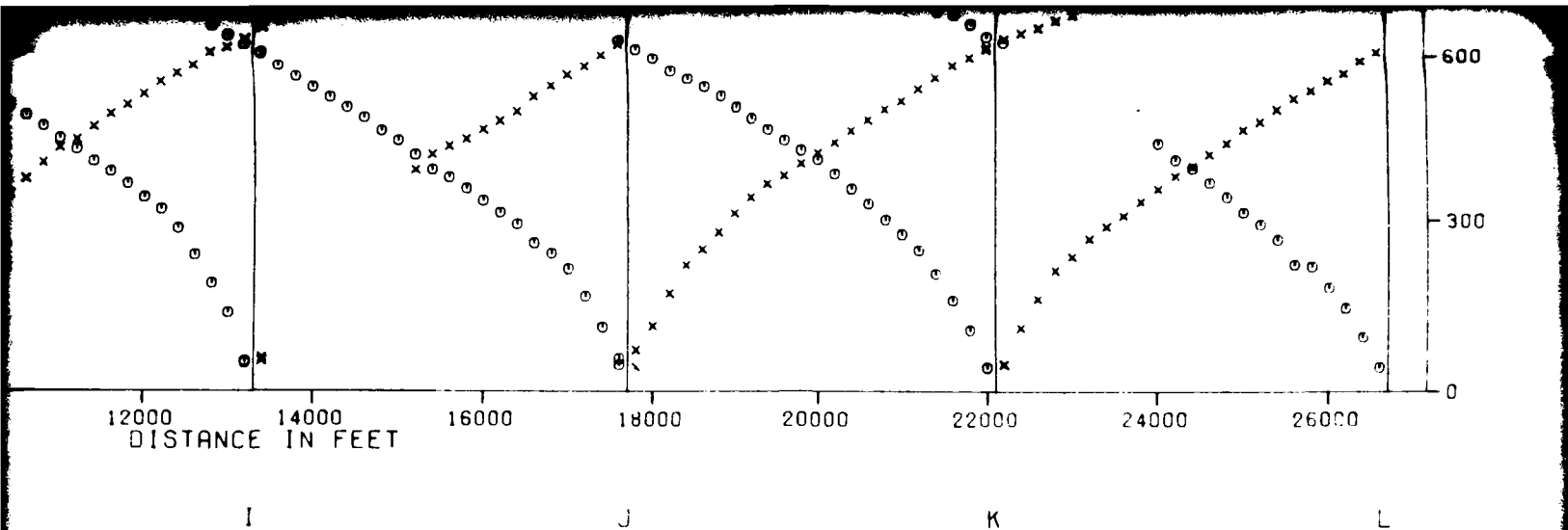
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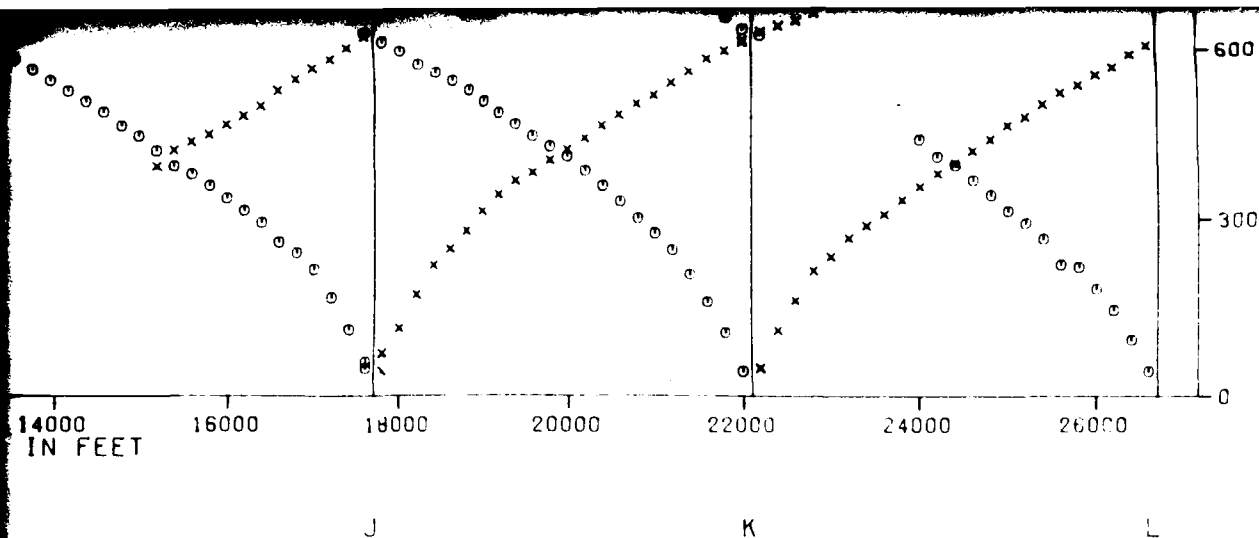
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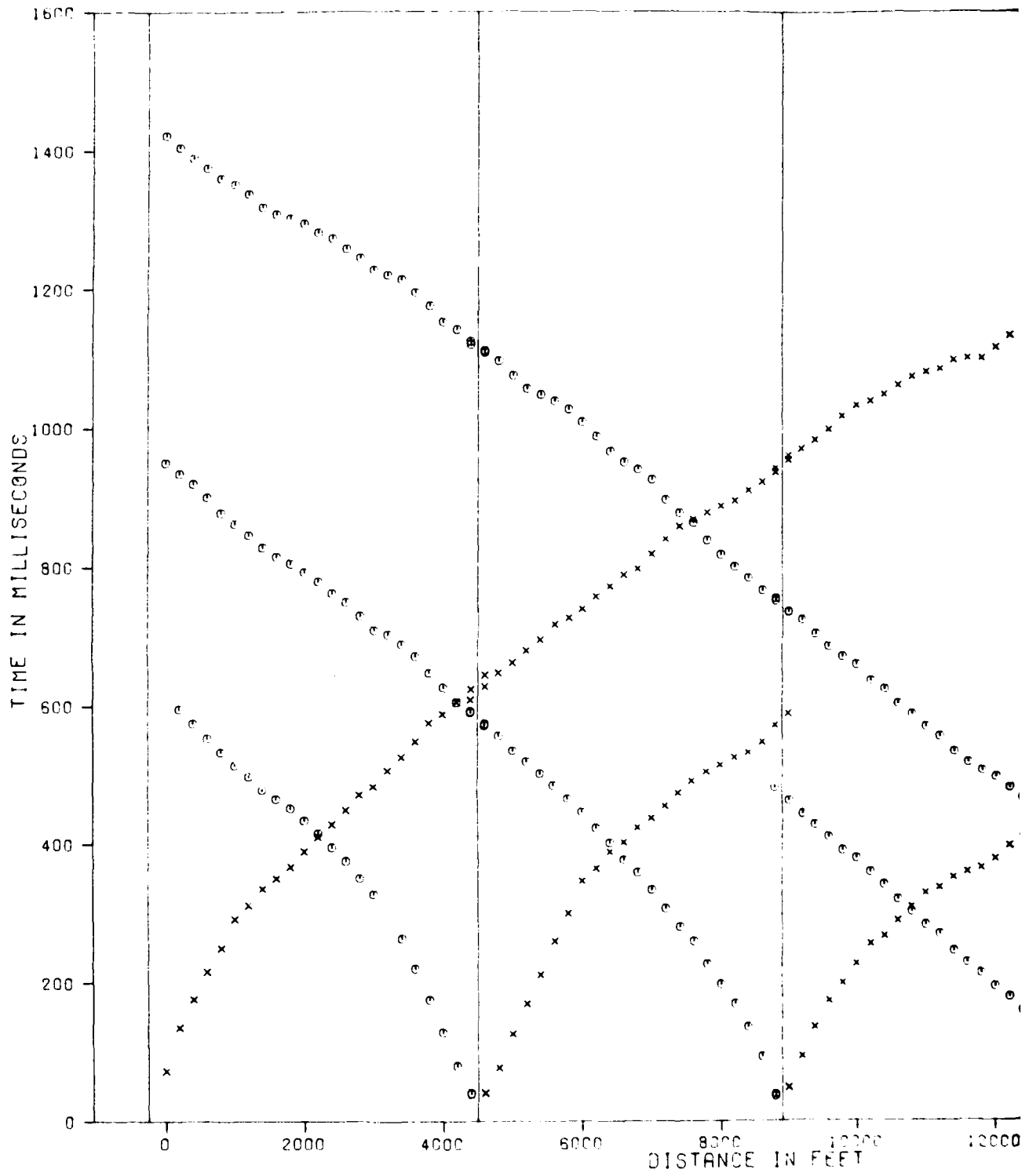
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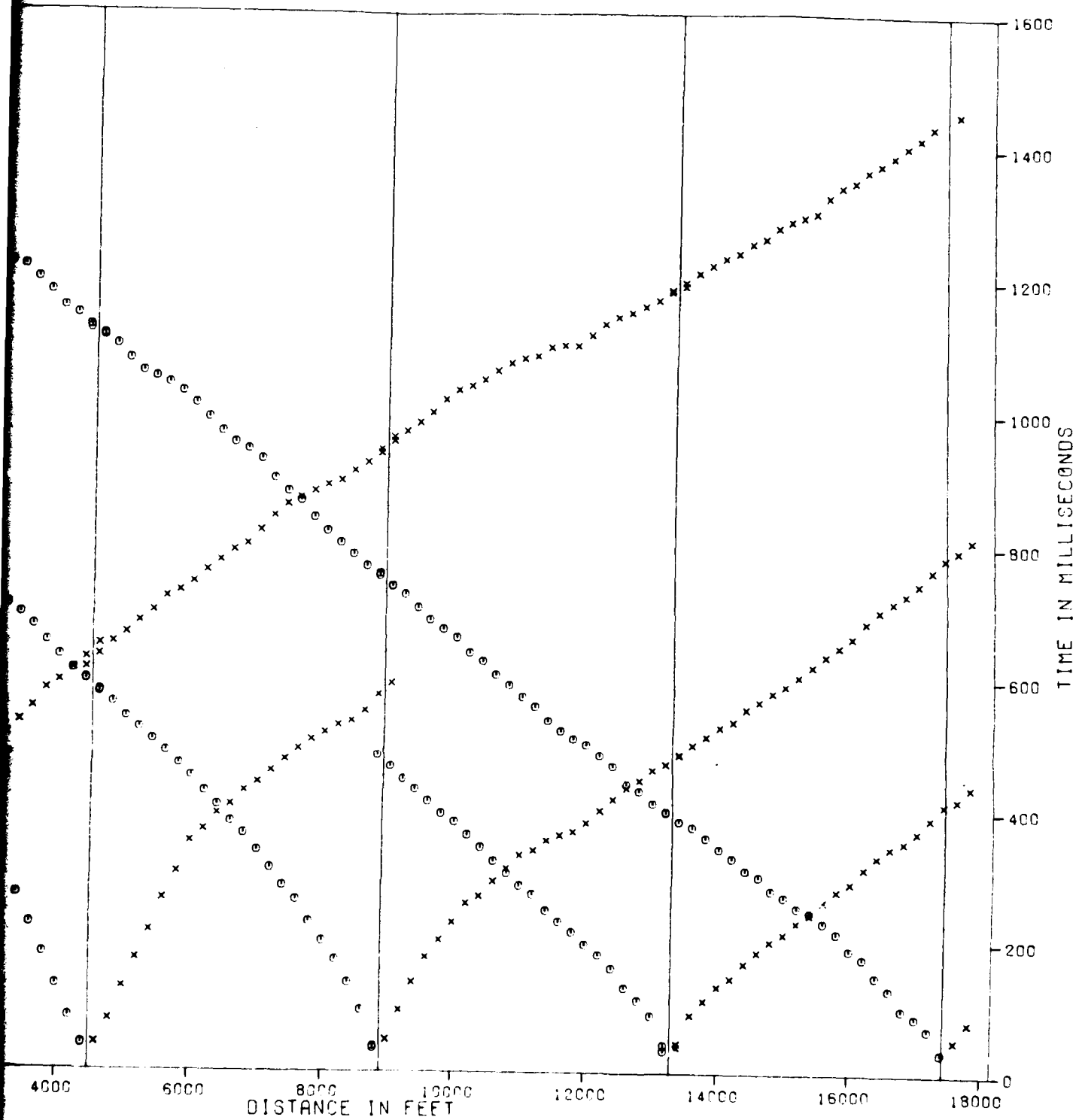
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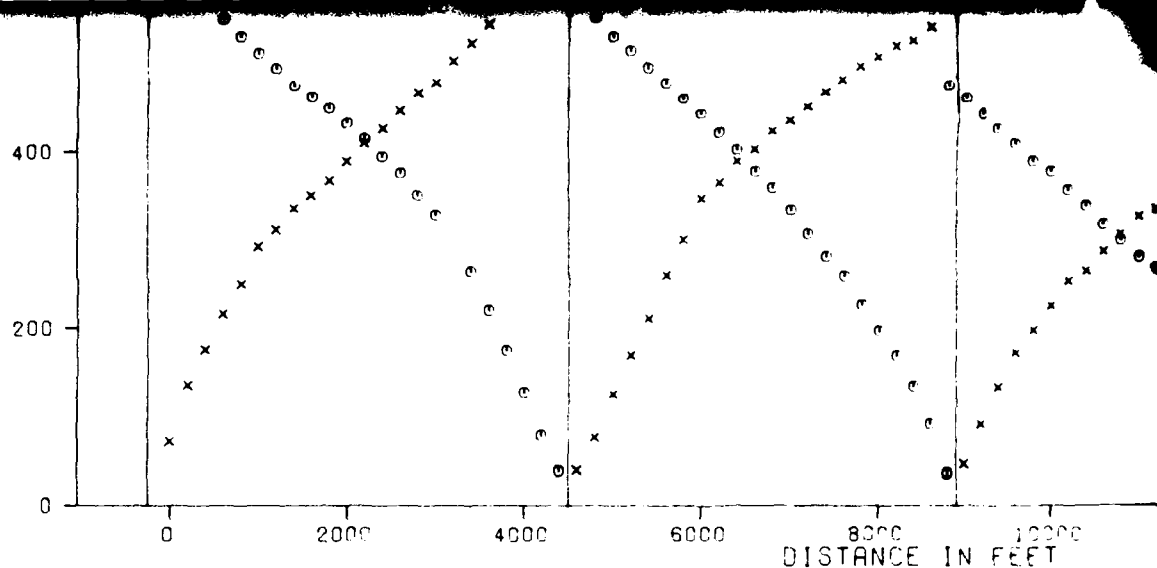
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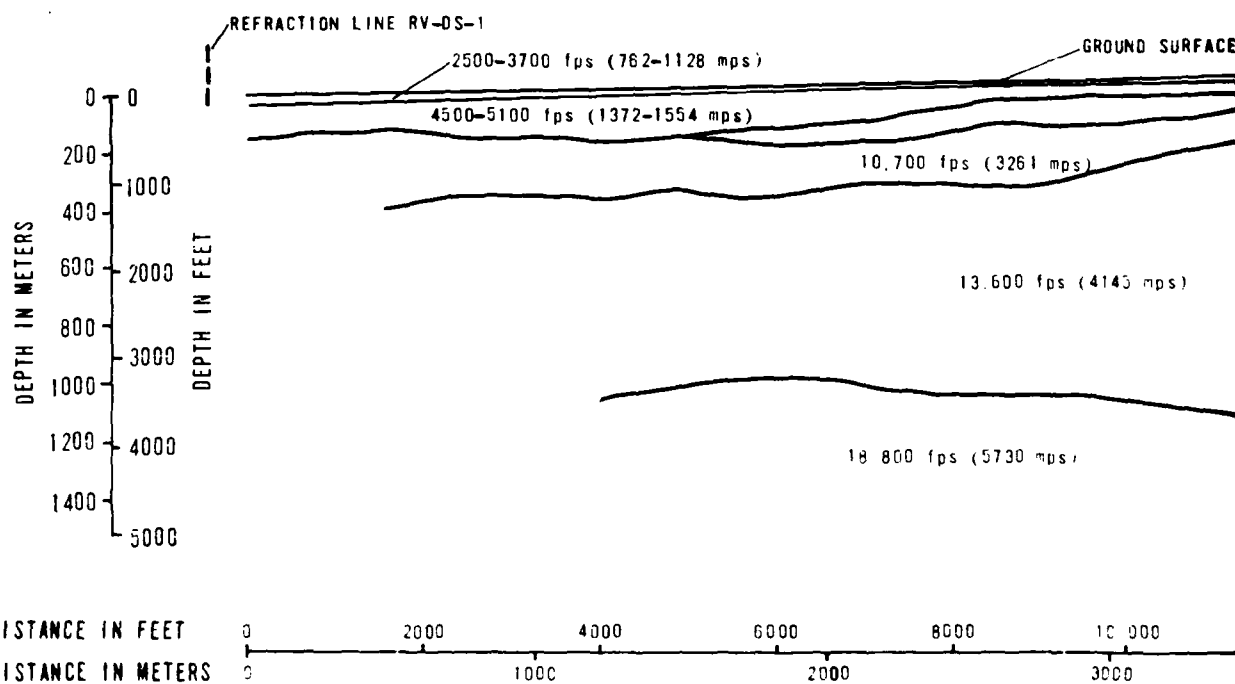
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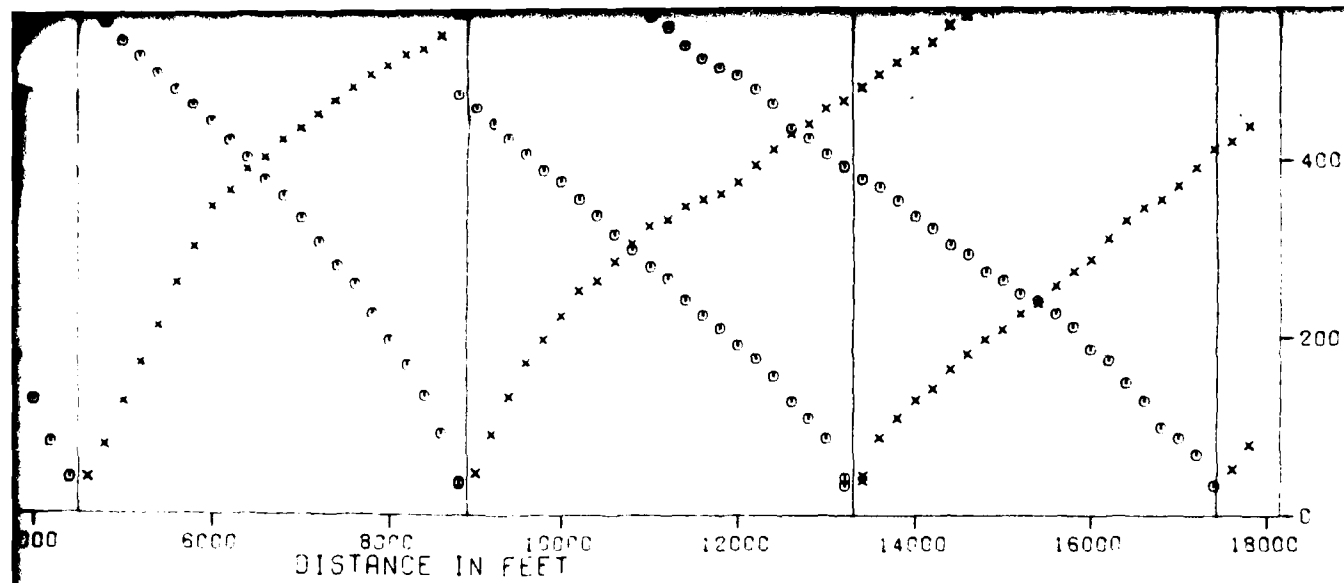
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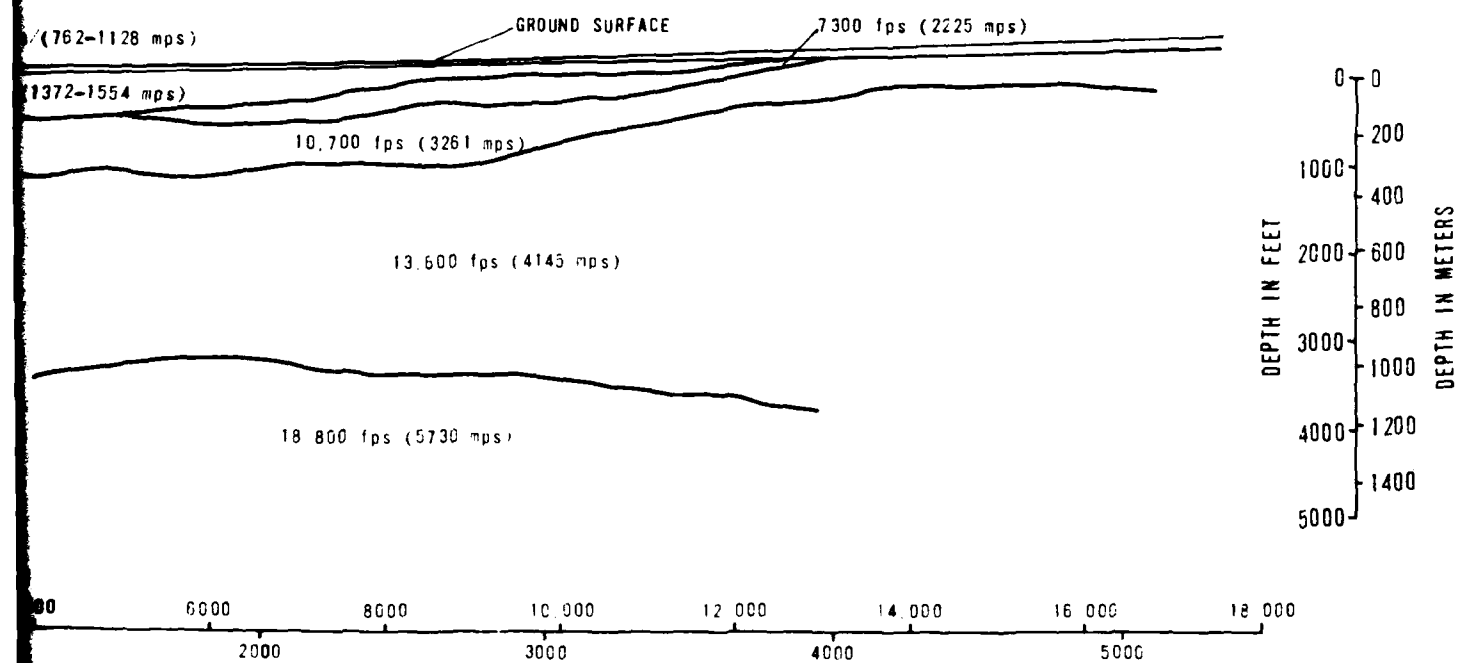


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SECTION 4.0
BORING LOGS

4.0 EXPLANATIONS OF BORING AND TRENCH LOGS

Note: The boring scheduled for the location numbered RV-B-11 was not drilled.

All data from borings and trenches are presented on standard Fugro National logs in Sections 4.0 and 5.0. Explanations of the column headings on the logs are as follows:

- A. Designations - Borings and trenches are identified as follows:

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RV - abbreviation for the site (e.g., RV-Ralston Valley)

B - abbreviation for activity (e.g., B-boring, T-trench)

1 - number of activity

- B. Sample Type - Different sampling techniques were used and the symbols are explained at the bottom of the boring logs. For details of sampling techniques, see Section A5.0 of Appendix in Volume I. Horizontal lines, to scale, indicate the depth where sampling was attempted.
- C. Percent Recovery - The numbers shown represent the ratio (in percent) of the soil sample recovered in the sampler to the full penetration of the sampler.
- D. N Value - Corresponds to standard penetration resistance, which is number of blows required to drive a standard split-spoon sampler for the second and third of three 6-inch (15 cm) increments with a 140-pound (63.5 kg) hammer falling 30 inches (76 cm) (ASTM D 1586-67).
- E. Depth - Corresponds to depth below ground surface in meters and feet.

- F. Lithology - Graphic representation of the soil and rock types.
- G. USCS - Unified Soil Classification System (see Table II-4-1 for complete details) symbols.
- H. Soil Description - Except in cases where samples were classified based on laboratory test data, the descriptions are based on visual classification. The procedures outlined in ASTM D 2487-69, Classification of Soils for Engineering Purposes, and D 2488-69, Description of Soils (Visual-Manual Procedure) were followed. Solid lines across the column indicate known change in strata at the depth shown.

Definitions of some of the terms and criteria to describe soils and conditions encountered during the exploration follow.

Gradation : A coarse-grained soil is well graded if it has a wide range in grain size and substantial amounts of most intermediate particle sizes.

Poorly graded indicates that the soil consists predominantly of one size (uniformly graded) or has a wide range of sizes with some intermediate sizes obviously missing (gap-graded).

Moisture :	Dry	- no feel of moisture
	Slightly Moist	- much less than normal moisture
	Moist	- normal moisture for soil
	Very Moist	- much greater than normal moisture
	Wet	- for soils below the water table

Field Identification Procedures (Excluding particles larger than 3 in. and basing fractions on estimated weights)				Group Symbols	Typical Names	Information Required for Describing Soils	Laboratory Classification Criteria
Gravels		Sands					
More than half of coarse fraction is larger than No. 4 sieve size	Clean gravels (little or no fines)	Wide range in grain size and substantial amounts of all intermediate particle sizes	GW	Well graded, gravelly sand and gravel, little or no fines	Give typical name, indicate approximate percentages of sand and gravel, maximum size, angularity, surface condition, and soil structure. For undisturbed soils add information on stratification, degree of compaction, cementation, moisture conditions, and drainage characteristics. Example: Silty sand, gravelly, about 20% 1-in maximum size, rounded and subangular sand and gravel, fine to medium, dry, plastic, well compacted, most in place, alluvial sand, (LSM)	$C_u = \frac{D_{60}}{D_{10}}$ Greater than 4 $C_c = \frac{D_{30}^2}{D_{10} \times D_{60}}$ Between 1 and 3 Not meeting all gradation requirements for GW	
More than half of coarse fraction is smaller than No. 4 sieve size	Gravels with (little or no fines)	Predominantly one size or a range of sizes with some intermediate sizes missing	GP	Poorly graded, gravelly sand and gravel, little or no fines		Atterberg limits below "A" line, or P_L less than 4, and P_U greater than 25	
	Gravels with (little or no fines)	Nonplastic fines (for identification procedures see ML below)	GM	Silty, gravelly, poorly graded sand-silt mixtures		Atterberg limits above "A" line, with P_L greater than 4	
	Gravels with (little or no fines)	Plastic fines (for identification procedures, see CL below)	GC	Clayey, gravelly, poorly graded sand-silt mixtures		Atterberg limits above "A" line, with P_L greater than 4	
More than half of coarse fraction is smaller than No. 4 sieve size	Clean sands (little or no fines)	Wide range in grain size and substantial amounts of all intermediate particle sizes	SW	Well graded, sandy, gravelly sand, little or no fines		$C_u = \frac{D_{60}}{D_{10}}$ Greater than 6 $C_c = \frac{D_{30}^2}{D_{10} \times D_{60}}$ Between 1 and 3 Not meeting all gradation requirements for SW	
More than half of coarse fraction is smaller than No. 4 sieve size	Sands with (little or no fines)	Predominantly one size or a range of sizes with some intermediate sizes missing	SP	Poorly graded, sandy, gravelly sand, little or no fines		Atterberg limits below "A" line, or P_L less than 4, and P_U greater than 25	
	Sands with (little or no fines)	Nonplastic fines (for identification procedures, see ML below)	SM	Silty sands, poorly graded sand-silt mixtures		Atterberg limits above "A" line, with P_L greater than 4	
	Sands with (little or no fines)	Plastic fines (for identification procedures, see CL below)	SC	Clayey sands, poorly graded sand-silt mixtures		Atterberg limits above "A" line, with P_L greater than 4	
Identification Procedures on Fraction Smaller than No. 40 Sieve Size							
Fine-grained soils More than half of material is smaller than No. 200 sieve size (The No. 200 sieve size is about the smallest particle visible to naked eye)	Soils and clays liquid limit less than 50	Dry Strength (crushing consistency)	ML	Inorganic silts and very fine sands, rock flour, silty or clayey fine sands with slight plasticity	Give typical name, indicate degree of organic content, plasticity, amount, and maximum size of coarse grains. Colour in wet condition, odour if any, local or regional name, and other pertinent information, and symbol in parentheses. Example: Clayey silt, brown, slightly plastic, small percentage of organic matter, firm and dry in place, loess, (ML)		
		Ductility (consistency limit)	CL	Inorganic clays of low to medium plasticity, generally silty, clayey, silty clays, lean clays			
		Shrinkage (consistency limit)	OL	Organic silts and organic silts of low plasticity			
		Shrinkage (consistency limit)	MH	Inorganic silts, micaceous or silty soils, elastic silts			
		Shrinkage (consistency limit)	CH	Inorganic clays of high plasticity, fat clays			
		Shrinkage (consistency limit)	OH	Organic clays of medium to high plasticity			
		Shrinkage (consistency limit)	PI	Peat and other highly organic soils			
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From Wagner, 1977
a. $C_u = \frac{D_{60}}{D_{10}}$
b. All sieve sizes on this chart are U.S. standard.

These procedures are to be performed on the minus No. 40 sieve size particles, approximately $\frac{1}{4}$ in. For field classification purposes, screening is not intended, simply remove by hand the coarse particles that interfere with the tests.

Efficiency (Reaction to shaking):
After removing particles larger than No. 40 sieve size, prepare a pat of moist soil with a volume of about one-half cubic inch. Add enough water to the pat in the open palm of one hand and shake horizontally, striking vigorously against the other hand several times. A positive reaction changes to a lively consistency and becomes slushy. When the sample surface is lively, the pat stiffens and finally it cracks or crumbles. The rapid appearance of water during shaking and of its disappearance during squeezing assist in identifying the character of the fines in a soil. Very fine clean sands give the quickest and most distinct reaction whereas plastic clay soils give the slowest and least distinct reaction. Loess, however, shows a moderately quick reaction.

Dry Strength (Crushing characteristics):
After removing particles larger than No. 40 sieve size, mould a pat of soil to the consistency of putty, adding water if necessary. Allow the pat to dry in the open palm of one hand and shake horizontally, striking vigorously against the other hand several times. This strength is a measure of the character and quantity of the colloidal fraction contained in the soil. The dry strength increases with increasing plasticity. High dry strength is characteristic for clays of the CH group. A typical pat of soil with high dry strength will be firm and dry in place, whereas a pat of soil with low dry strength will be soft and crumbly when the pat is touched with the finger. A pat of soil with high dry strength will have about the same high dry strength, but can be distinguished by the feel when powdering the dried specimen. Fine sand feels gritty whereas a typical silt has the smooth feel of flour.

Field Identification Procedure for Fine Grained Soils or Fractions
Approximately $\frac{1}{4}$ in. For field classification purposes, screening is not intended, simply remove by hand the coarse particles that interfere with the tests.

Toughness (Reaction to shaking):
After removing particles larger than the No. 40 sieve size, a specimen of soil about one-half inch cube in size is moulded to the consistency of putty, adding water if necessary. The specimen is then rolled out on a smooth surface or between the palms into a thread about one-eighth inch in diameter. The thread is then rolled and re-rolled repeatedly. During rolling, the soil is observed for its plasticity. The specimen is then rolled out on a smooth surface and the plastic limit is reached. After the thread crumbles, the pieces should be lumped together and a light kneading action continued until the lump crumbles. The lump when it is finally crumbles, the more plastic is the colloidal clay fraction in the soil. Weakness of the thread at the plastic limit and quick loss of coherence of the lump below the plastic limit indicate either inorganic clay of low plasticity or materials such as kaolin-type clays and organic clays which occur below the A-line on the plasticity chart.

Highly organic clays have a very weak and spongy feel at the plastic limit.

Use grain size curve in identifying the fraction as given under field identification

Determine percentages of gravel and sand from grain size curve

Depending on percentages of fines (fraction smaller than No. 200 sieve size), well graded soils are classified as follows:

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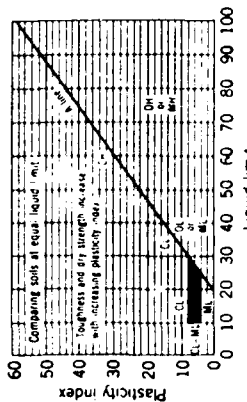
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Plasticity chart for laboratory classification of fine grained soils

From Wagner, 1957.

Boundary Classification. Soils possessing characteristics of two groups are designated by combinations of group symbols. For example GW-GC, well graded gravel-sand mixture with clay binder.

Field Identification Procedure for Fine Grained Soils or Fractions

Dry Strength (Crushing Characteristics). After removing particles larger than No. 40 sieve size, mould a pat of soil to the consistency of putty, adding water if necessary. Allow the pat to dry completely by oven, sun or air drying, and then test its strength by breaking and crumbling between the fingers. This strength is a measure of the dry strength of the soil. The dry strength increases with increasing plasticity. High dry strength is characteristic for clays of the CH group. A typical inorganic silt possesses only very slight dry strength. Silty fine sands and silts have about the same slight dry strength, but can be distinguished by the feel of the soil. The feel of a soil is described as follows: Fine sand feels gritty whereas a typical silt has the smooth feel of flour.

Toughness (Consistency near plastic limit)

After removing particles larger than the No. 40 sieve size, a specimen of soil about one-half inch cube in size is moulded to the consistency of putty. If too dry, water must be added and if sticky, the specimen should be spread in a thin layer and allowed to dry. The specimen is then rolled out by hand to a thread about one-eighth inch in diameter. The thread is then folded and re-rolled repeatedly. During this manipulation the moisture content is gradually reduced and the specimen stiffens. Finally loses its plasticity, and crumbles when the thread is crumbled. The pieces should be lumped together and a slight kneading action continued until the lump crumbles.

The tougher the thread near the plastic limit and the stiffer the lump when it finally crumbles, the more plastic is the colloidal clay fraction in the soil. Weakness of the thread at the plastic limit and quick loss of cohesion when the soil is crumbled are characteristic of silty clays and silts. Clay of low plasticity or materials such as kaolin-type clays and organic clays which occur below the A-line.

Highly organic clays have a very weak and spongy feel at the plastic limit.

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Consistency: Consistency descriptions of coarse-grained soils (GW, GP, GM, GC, SW, SP, SM, SC) are as follows.

<u>Consistency</u>	<u>N Value (ASTM D 1586-67)</u>
Very Loose	0 - 4
Loose	4 - 10
Medium Dense	10 - 30
Dense	30 - 50
Very Dense	>50

Consistency descriptions of fine-grained soils (ML, CL, MH, CH,) are as follows:

<u>Consistency</u>	<u>Shear Strength (ksf) (kn/m²)</u>		<u>Field Guide</u>
Very Soft	0.25	12	Sample with height equal to twice the diameter, sags under own weight
Soft	0.25- 0.50	12 - 24	Can be squeezed between thumb and forefinger
Firm	0.50- 1.00	24- 48	Can be molded easily with fingers
Stiff	1.00- 2.00	48- 96	Can be imprinted with slight pressure from fingers
Very Stiff	2.00- 4.00	96- 192	Can be imprinted with considerable pressure from fingers
Hard	over 4.00	over 192	Cannot be imprinted by fingers

Grain Shape: Angular - particles have sharp edges and relatively plane sides with unpolished surfaces.

Plasticity : Plasticity index is the range of water content, expressed as a percentage of the weight of the oven-dried soil, through which the soil is plastic. It is defined as the liquid limit minus the plastic limit. Descriptive ranges used on the logs include:

Nonplastic	(PI, 0 - 4)
Slightly Plastic	(PI, 4 - 15)
Medium Plastic	(PI, 15 - 30)
Highly Plastic	(PI, >30)

Cobbles and Boulders : A cobble is a rock fragment, usually rounded by weathering or abrasion, with an average diameter ranging between 3 and 12 inches (8 and 30 cm).

A boulder is a rock fragment, usually rounded by weathering or abrasion, with an average diameter of 12 inches (30 cm) or more.

- I. Remarks - This column was provided on boring and trench logs for comments regarding drilling difficulty, number and size of cobbles or boulders encountered, loss of drilling fluid in the boring, trench wall stability, and other conditions encountered during drilling and excavations.
- J. Dry Density and Moisture Content - The boring logs include a graphical display of laboratory test results for dry density (ASTM D 2937-71) in pounds per cubic foot and kilograms per cubic meter and moisture content (ASTM D 2216-71) in percent from representative samples taken during drilling. The symbols are explained at the bottom of the boring logs.

K. Sieve Analysis - The numbers represent the percentage by dry weight (ASTM D 422-63) of each of the following soil components:

GR - Gravel, rock particles that will pass a 3-inch (76 mm) sieve and are retained on No. 4 (4.75 mm) sieve.

SA - Sand, soil particles passing No. 4 sieve and retained on No. 200 (0.075 mm) sieve.

FI - Fines, silt or clay, soil particles passing No. 200 sieve.

L. Atterberg Limits (LL and PI) -

LL - Liquid Limit, the water content corresponding to the arbitrary limit between the liquid and plastic states of consistency of a soil (ASTM D 423-66).

PL - Plastic Limit, the water content corresponding to an arbitrary limit between the plastic and the semisolid state of consistency of a soil (ASTM D 424-59).

PI - Plasticity Index, numerical difference between the liquid limit (LL) and the plastic limit (PL) indicating the range of moisture content within which a soil-water mixture is plastic.

NP - Nonplastic.

M. Miscellaneous Information -

Elevations - indicated elevations on the logs are estimated from topographic maps of the study area, within an accuracy of half the contour interval.

Surficial
Geologic Unit - indicates the surficial geologic unit in which the activity is located.

Date Drilled - indicates the period from beginning to completion of the activity.

Drilling
Method - signifies the type of drilling procedure used such as rotary wash.

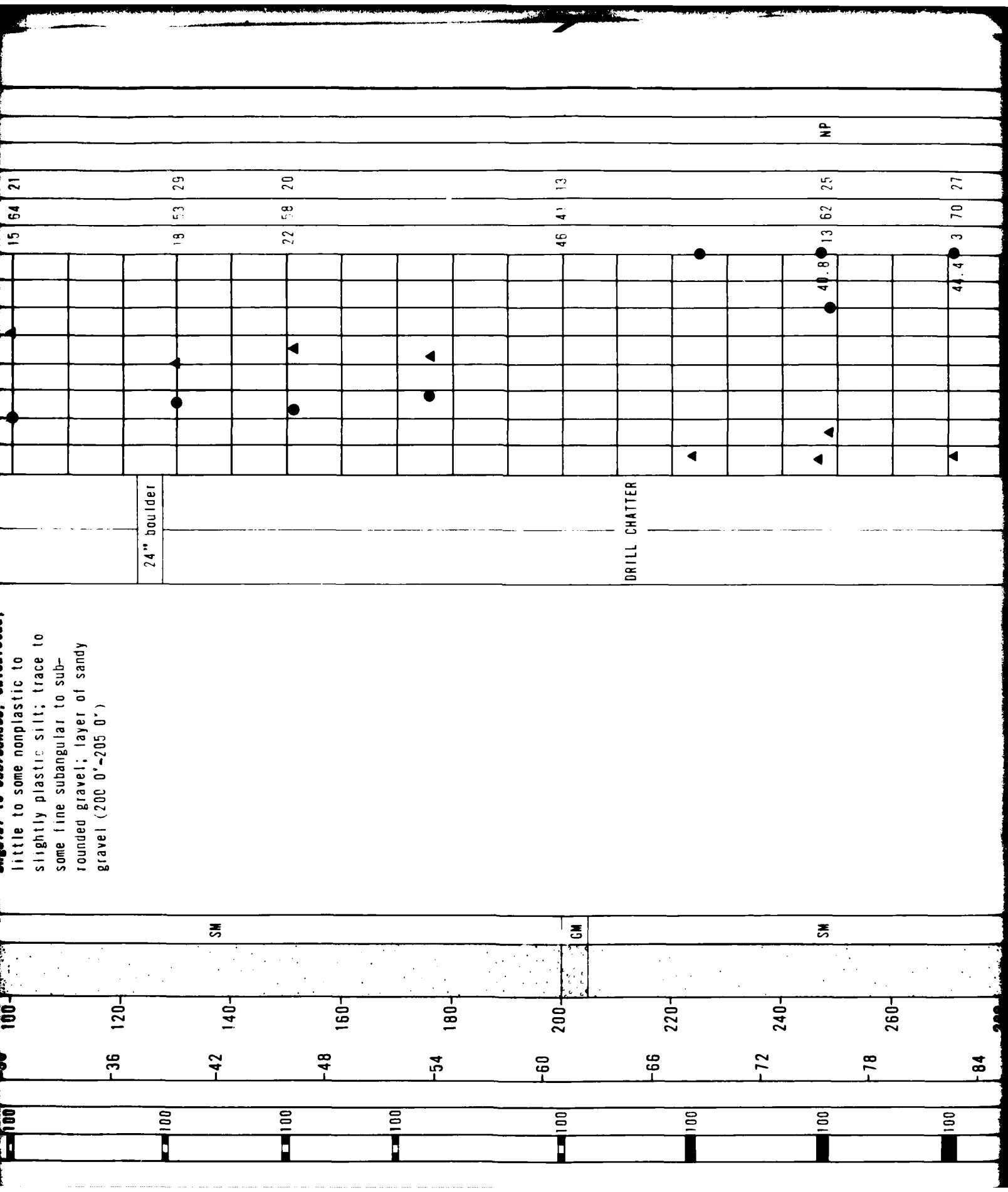
Hole Diameter - nominal size of boring drilled.

Water Level - indicates depth from ground surface to water table where encountered.

Trench Length - length at ground surface of final trench excavation.

Trench
Orientation - bearing of longitudinal trench centerline.

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little to some nonplastic to slightly plastic silt; trace to some fine subangular to sub-rounded gravel; layer of sandy gravel (200 0'-205 0')

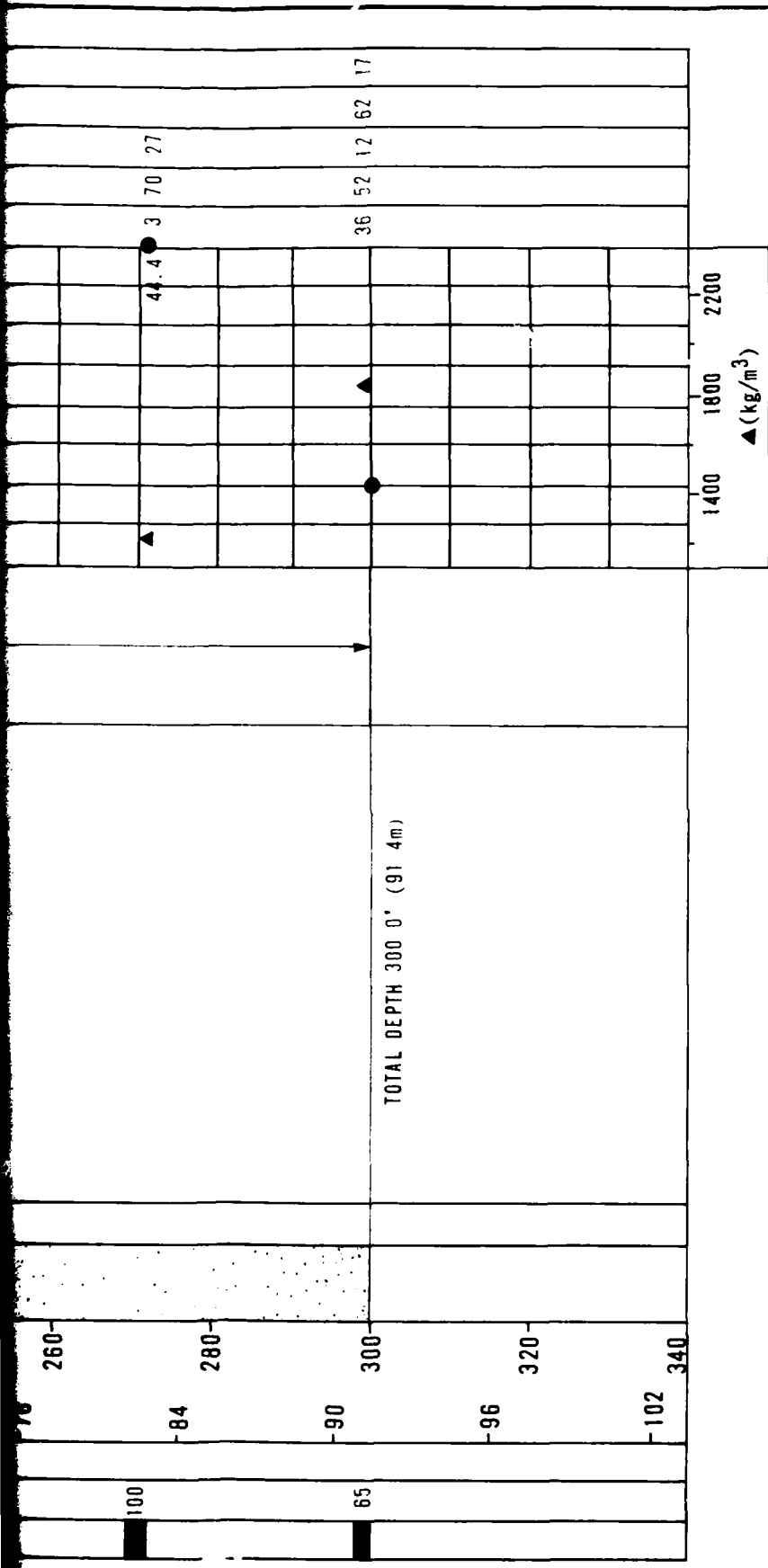
24" boulder

DRILL CHATTER

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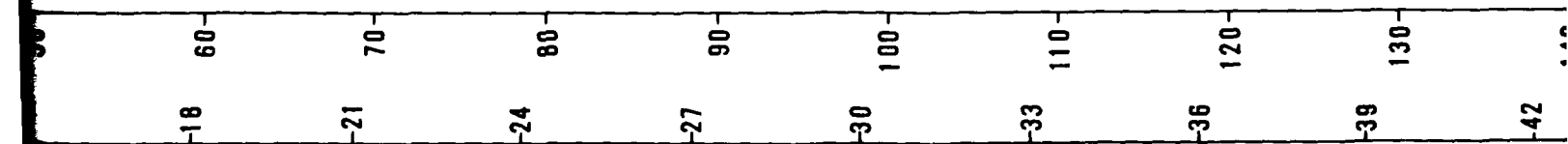
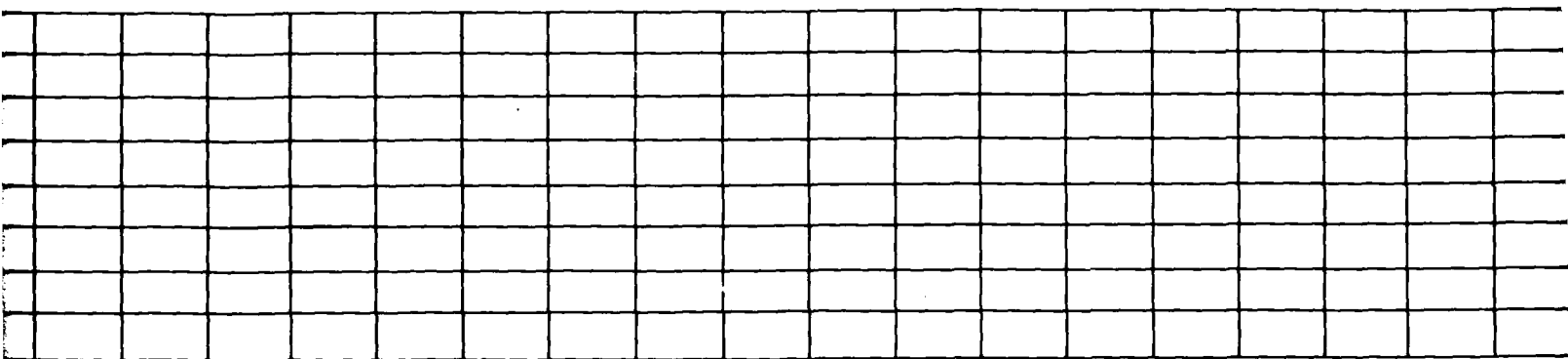
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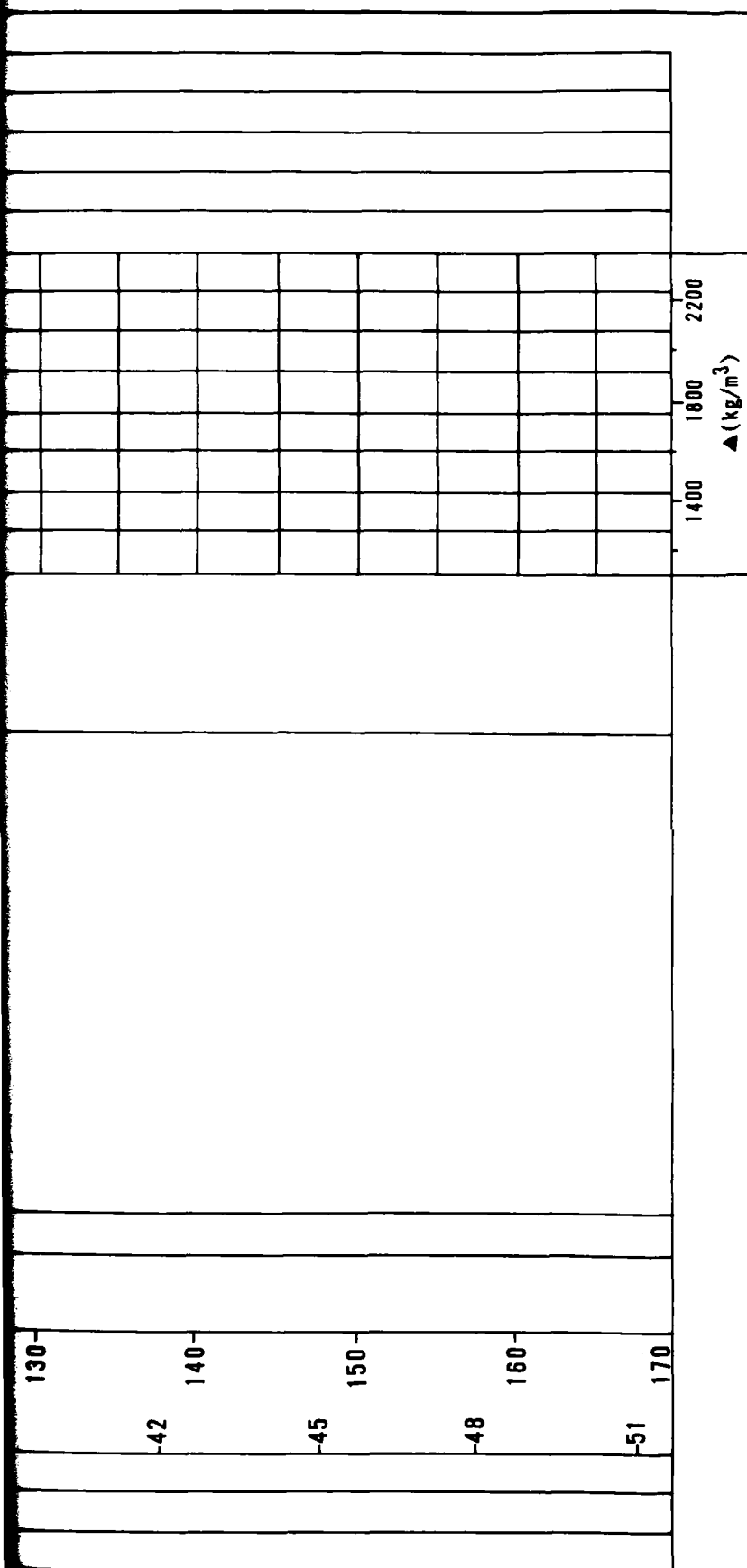
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- - MOISTURE CONTENT (ASTM: D-2216-71)
- NR - NO RECOVERY

BORING DETAILS

ELEVATION : 5610' (1710m)
 SURFICIAL GEOLOGIC UNIT : A5y
 DATE DRILLED : 6-8 August 1977
 DRILLING METHOD : Rotary Wash
 HOLE DIAMETER : 4 7/8" (124mm)
 WATER LEVEL : 221' (67.4m)

SAMPLE TYPE	% RECOVERY	N VALUE	METERS DEPTH	FEET DEPTH	LITHOLOGY	USCS	SOIL DESCRIPTION	REMARKS
			0	0		SM	SILTY SAND, brown, fine to coarse, poorly graded, dense; some silt; some gravel	
			3	10		SW- SM	GRAVELLY SAND, brown, fine to coarse, well graded, very dense, angular; little to some fine to coarse gravel; trace silt.	occasional cobbles and boulders
			6	20		SM	SILTY SAND, brown, fine to coarse, poorly graded, very dense; little silt; little fine gravel	
			-9	30			TOTAL DEPTH 27' 5" (8.4m)	
			-12	40				
			-15	50				
			-18	60				





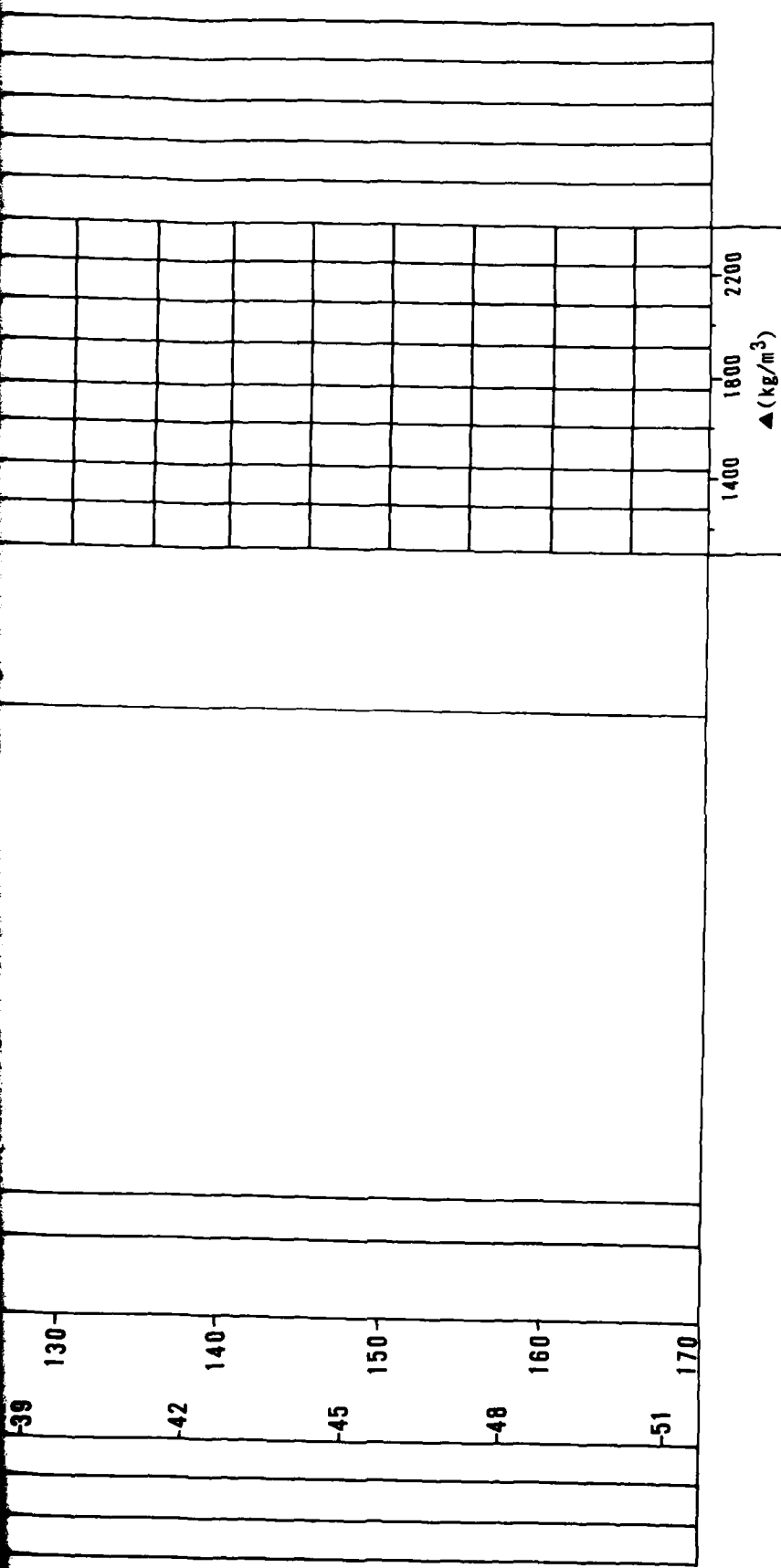
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SAMPLE TYPE	% RECOVERY	N VALUE	METERS DEPTH	FEET DEPTH	LITHOLOGY	USCS	SOIL DESCRIPTION	REMARKS
			0	0			SILTY SAND, brown, fine to medium, poorly graded, medium dense to very dense, angular; little nonplastic silt.	began rotary drilling at 20.0'
	73	26	-3	10				
	60	56	-6	20		SM		cobbles and boulders
			-9	30			TOTAL DEPTH 30.0' (9.1m)	
			-12	40				
			-15	50				
			-18	60				

-18 60 -21 70 -24 80 -27 90 -30 100 -33 110 -36 120 -39 130 -42 140

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BORING DETAILS

ELEVATION

:5535' (1687m)

SURFICIAL GEOLOGIC UNIT :A5y

DATE DRILLED :7 August 1977

DRILLING METHOD

:Becker Percussion

HOLE DIAMETER

:5 1/2" (140mm)

WATER LEVEL

:Not Encountered

LOG OF BORING RV-B-3
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rotary
drilling
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60 0'

TOTAL DEPTH 87.0' (26.5m)

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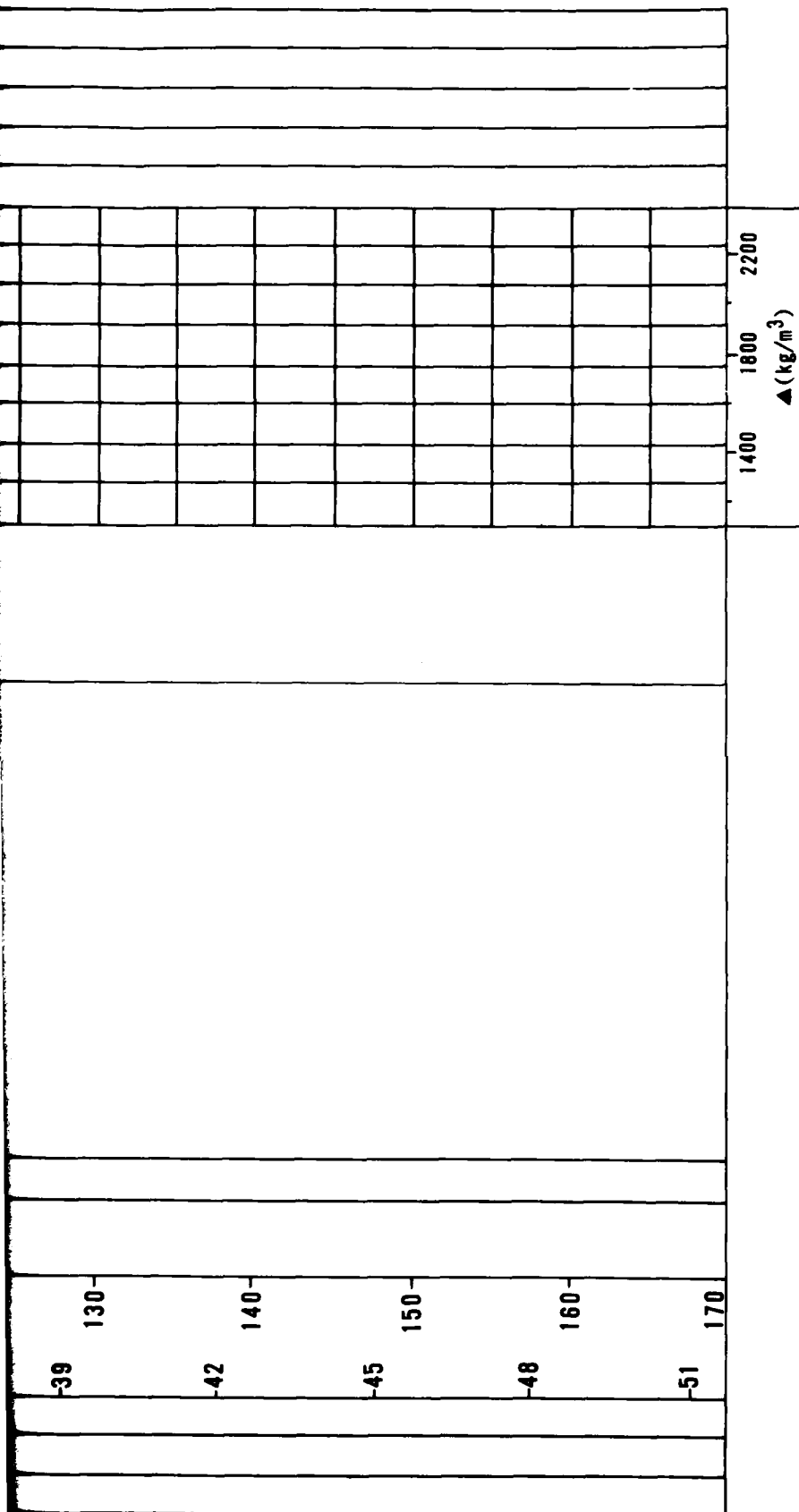
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BORING DETAILS

ELEVATION : 5480' (1670m)
 SURFICIAL GEOLOGIC UNIT : A5y
 DATE DRILLED : 23-24 July 1977
 DRILLING METHOD : Becker Percussion
 HOLE DIAMETER : 5 1/2" (140mm)
 WATER LEVEL : Not Encountered

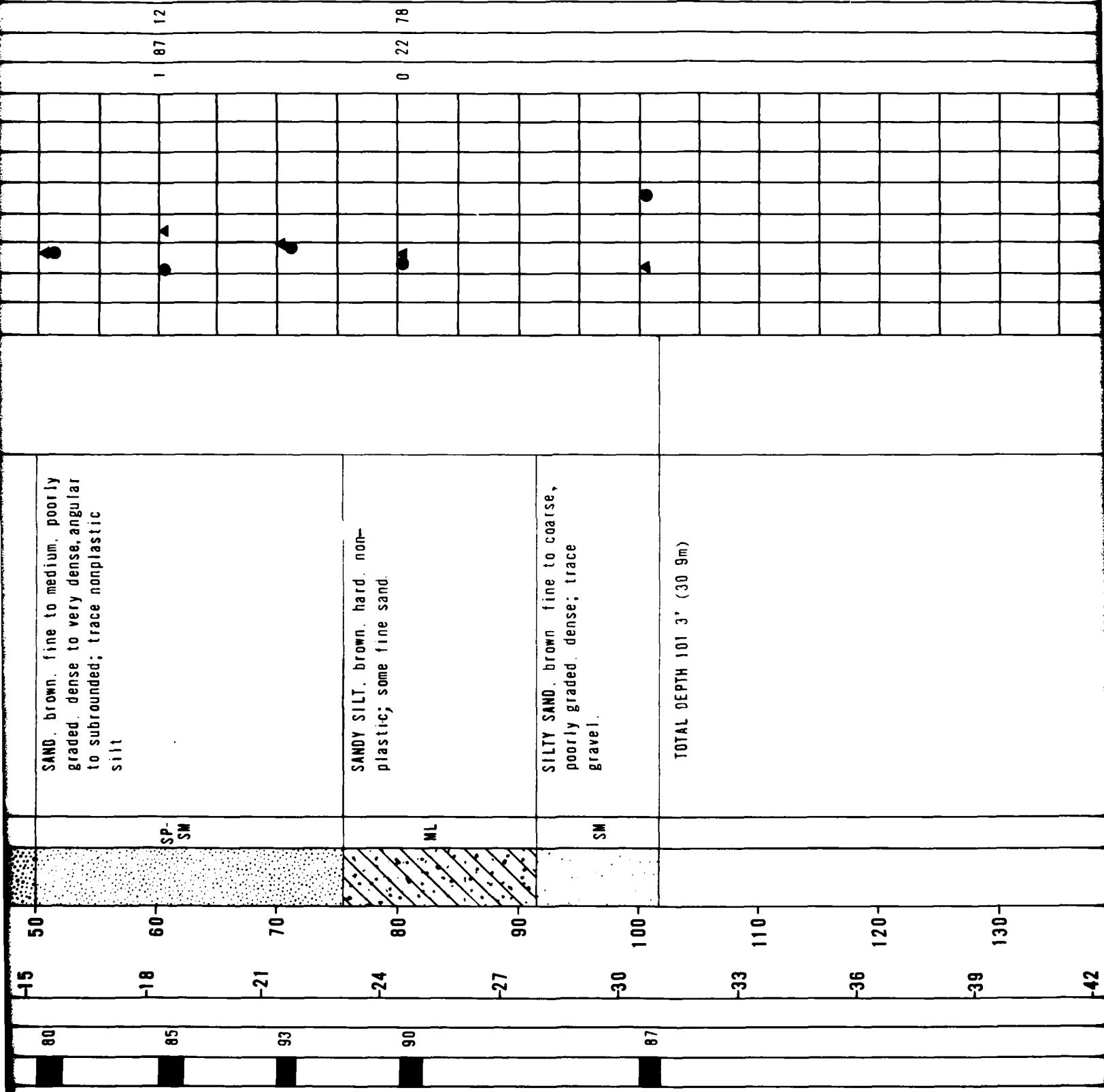
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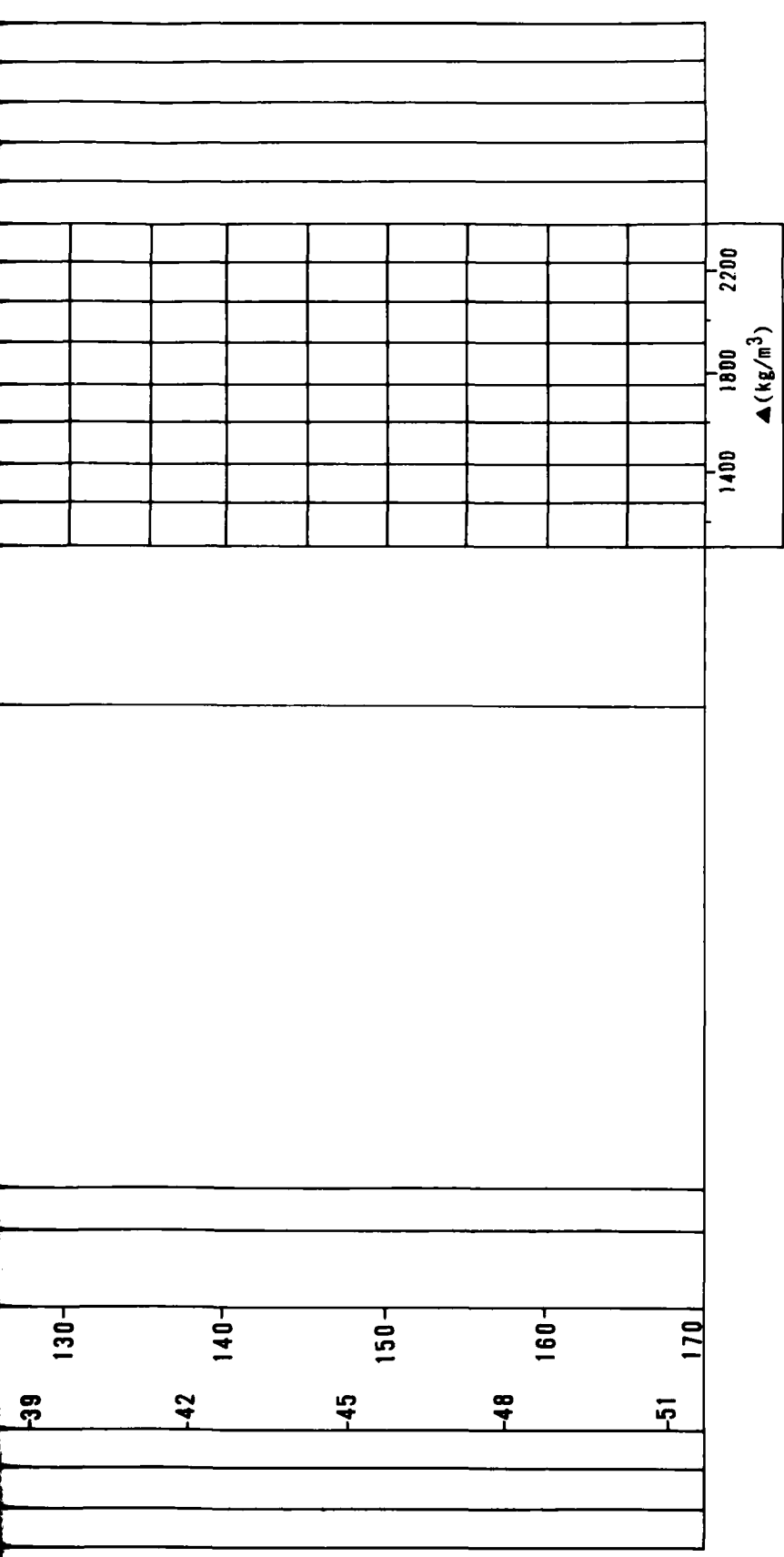
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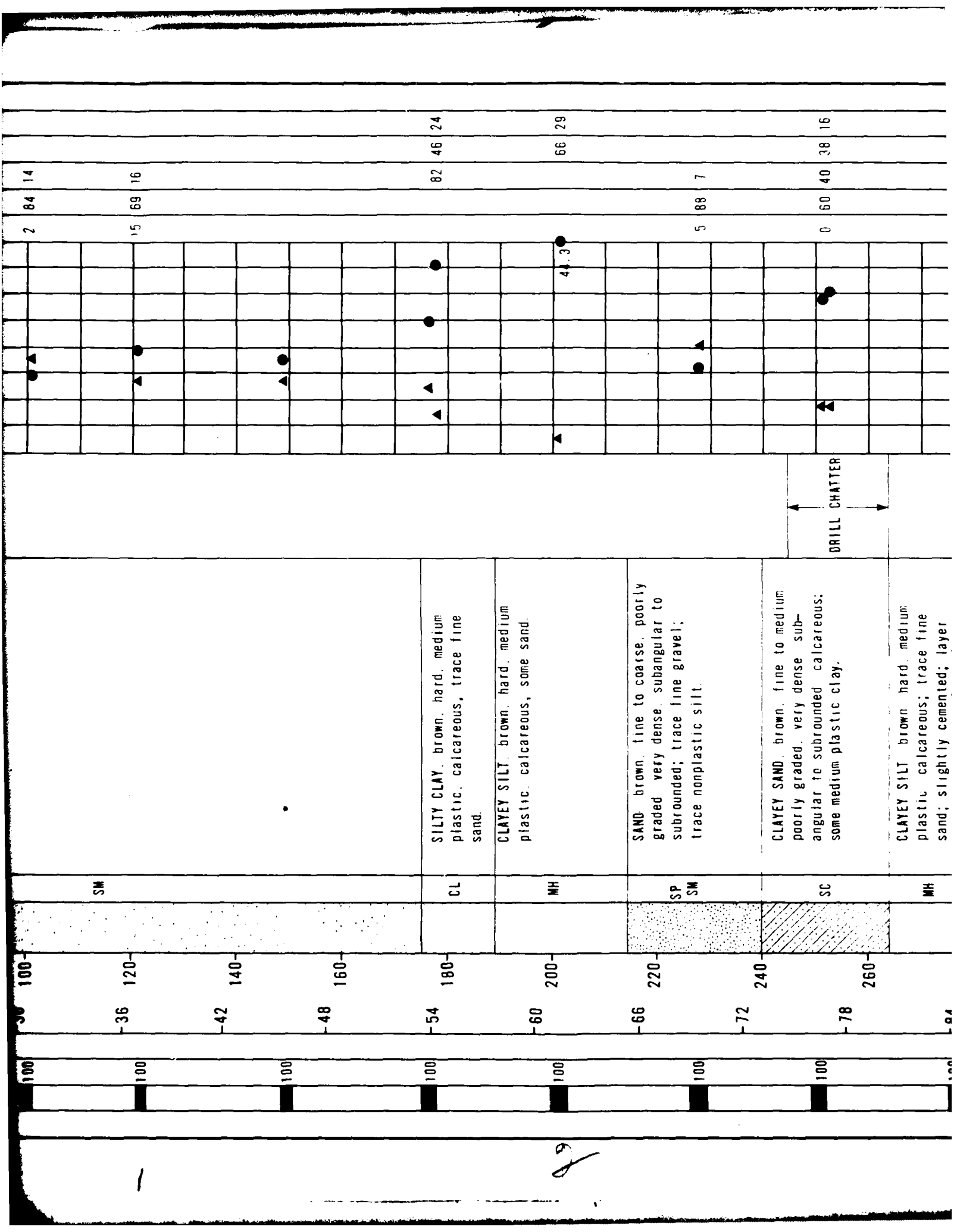
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 SURFICIAL GEOLOGIC UNIT : A5y A4
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 DRILLING METHOD : Rotary Wash
 HOLE DIAMETER : 4 7/8" (124mm)
 WATER LEVEL : Not Encountered

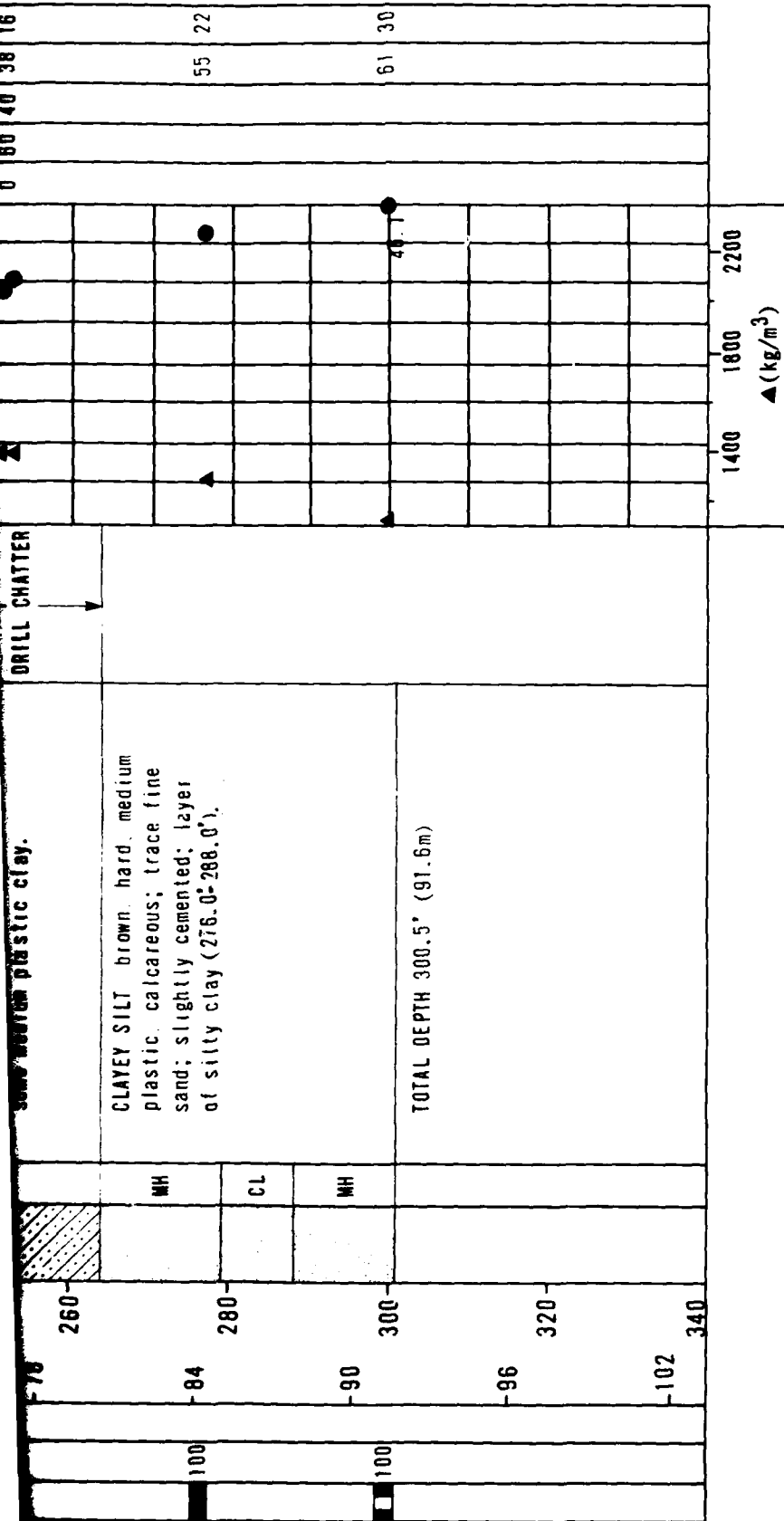
LOG OF BORING RV-B-5 RALSTON VALLEY, NEVADA	
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SAMPLE TYPE	% RECOVERY	N VALUE	DEPTH METERS	DEPTH FEET	LITHOLOGY	USCS	SOIL DESCRIPTION	REMARKS	▲(pcf)										SIEVE ANALYSIS			
									80	90	100	110	120	130	140	GR	SA	FI	LL	PI		
	100	0	0	0	ML		SILTY SAND, light gray, fine to medium, poorly graded, dense to very dense, angular to subangular calcareous; little to some nonplastic silt, trace to little fine gravel layers of sandy silt (0.0'-2.0') and (60.0'-62.0'), layer of gravelly sand (19.0'-22.0').		●	▲						0	37	63			NP	
	100								●	▲							0	63	37			
	100					SM			●	▲							0	70	30			
	100	-6	20		SP				●	▲							18	78	4	36	11	
	100								●	▲							2	60	38			
	100								●	▲							0	82	18			
	100	-12	40			SM			●	▲												
	100								●	▲							0	52	48			
	100	-18	60		ML				●	▲							0	44	56			
	100								●	▲							1	56	43			
	100	-24	80					●	▲							2	85	13				
	100							●	▲							0	57	43				
	100	-30	100			SM		●	▲							2	84	14				





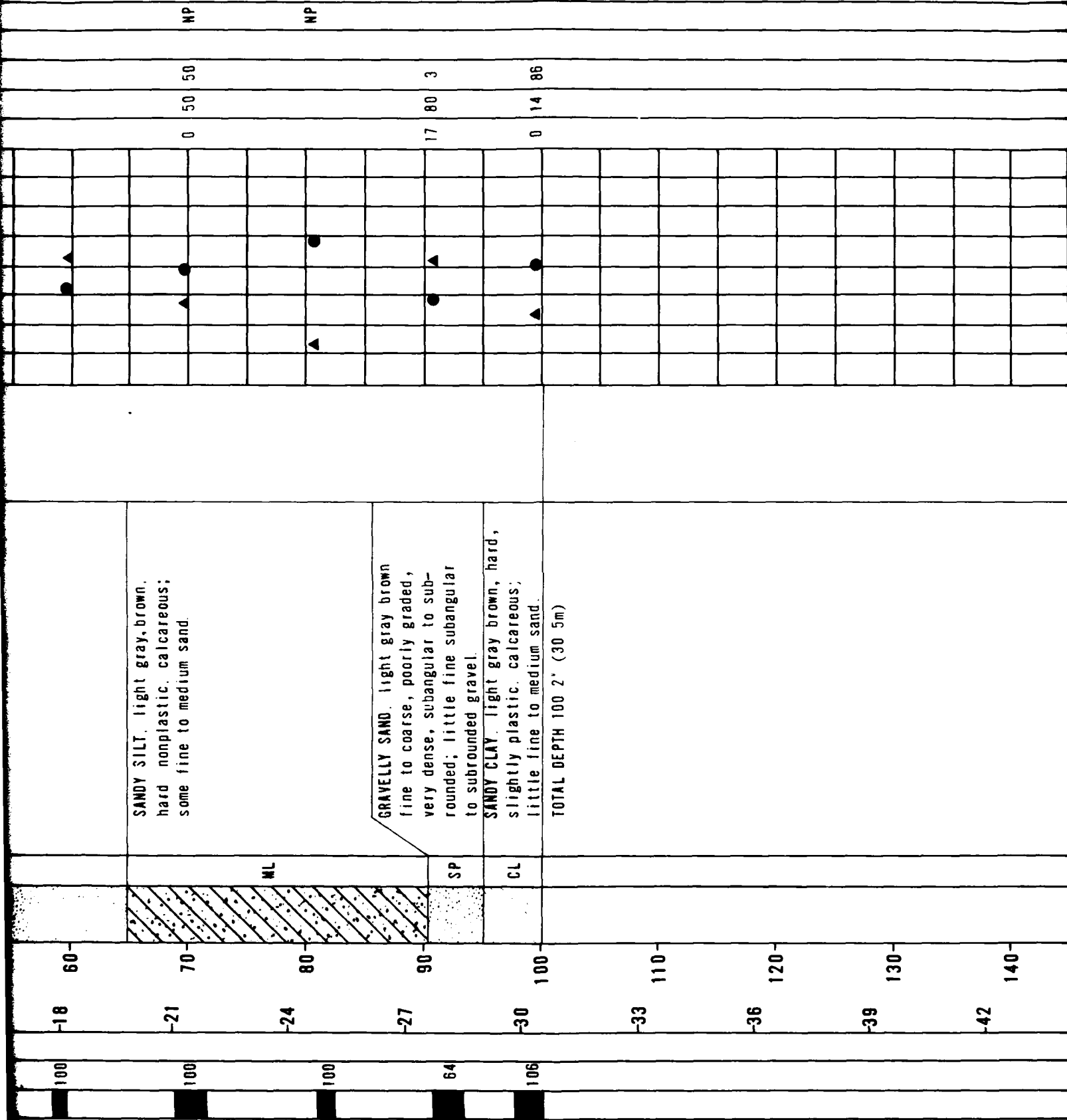
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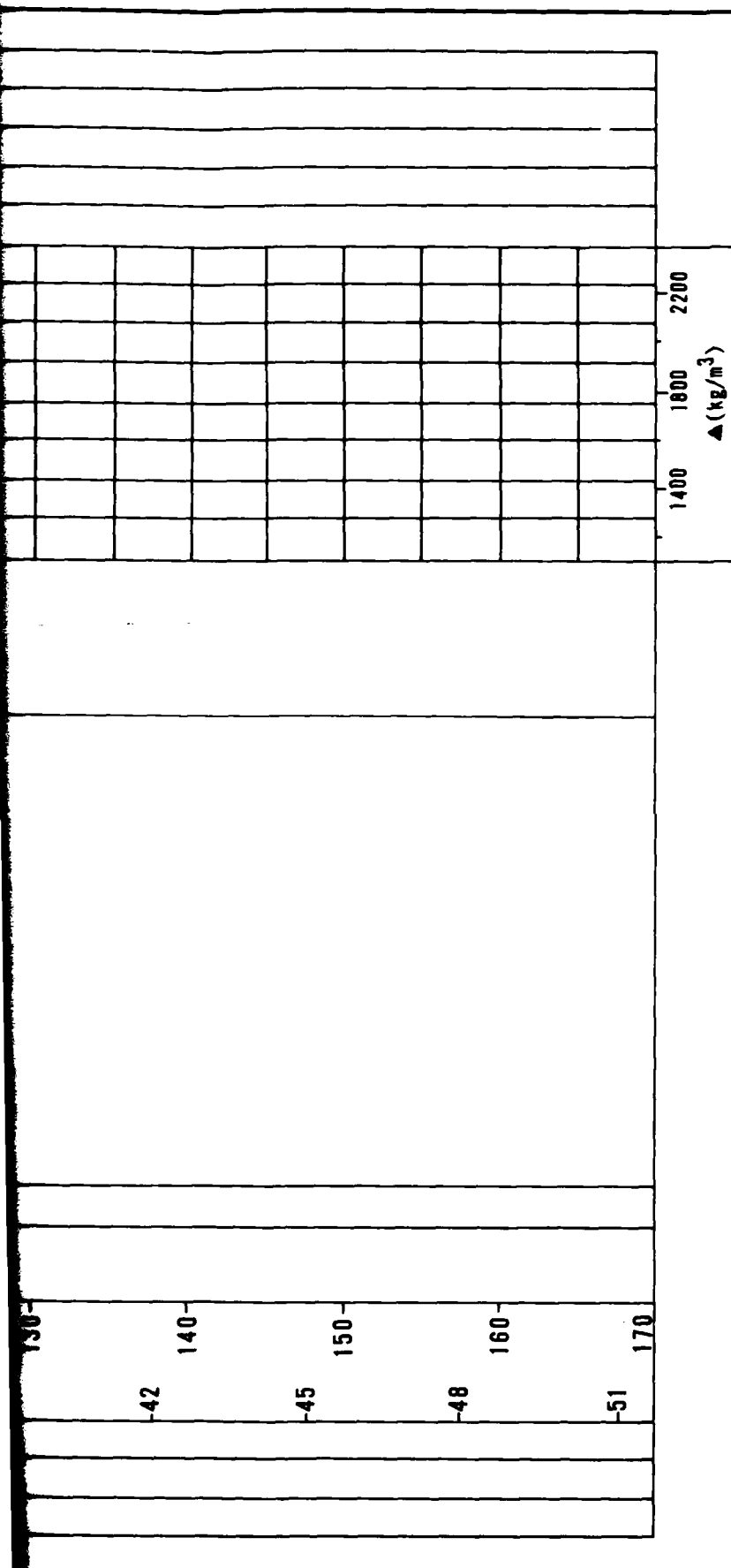
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- BULK SAMPLE
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- STANDARD PENETRATION TEST SAMPLE
- ▨ CORE SAMPLE
- N - STANDARD PENETRATION RESISTANCE
- ▲ - DRY UNIT WEIGHT (ASTM: D-2937-71)
- - MOISTURE CONTENT (ASTM: D-2216-71)
- NR - NO RECOVERY

BORING DETAILS

ELEVATION : 5180'. (1579m)
 SURFICIAL GEOLOGIC UNIT : A4
 DATE DRILLED : 19-20 August 1979
 DRILLING METHOD : Rotary Wash
 HOLE DIAMETER : 4 7/8" (124mm)
 WATER LEVEL : Not Encountered

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FUGRO DRIVE SAMPLE

BULK SAMPLE

PITCHER TUBE SAMPLE

STANDARD PENETRATION TEST SAMPLE

CORE SAMPLE

N - STANDARD PENETRATION RESISTANCE

▲ - DRY UNIT WEIGHT (ASTM: D-2937-71)

● - MOISTURE CONTENT (ASTM: D-2216-71)

NR - NO RECOVERY

BORING DETAILS

ELEVATION

: 5240' (1597m)

SURFICIAL GEOLOGIC UNIT : A5y A4

DATE DRILLED : 17-18 August 1977

DRILLING METHOD : Rotary Air Wash

HOLE DIAMETER : 4 7/8" (124mm)

WATER LEVEL : Not Encountered

LOG OF BORING RV-B-7
RALSTON VALLEY, NEVADA

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DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE - BMO

FIGURE
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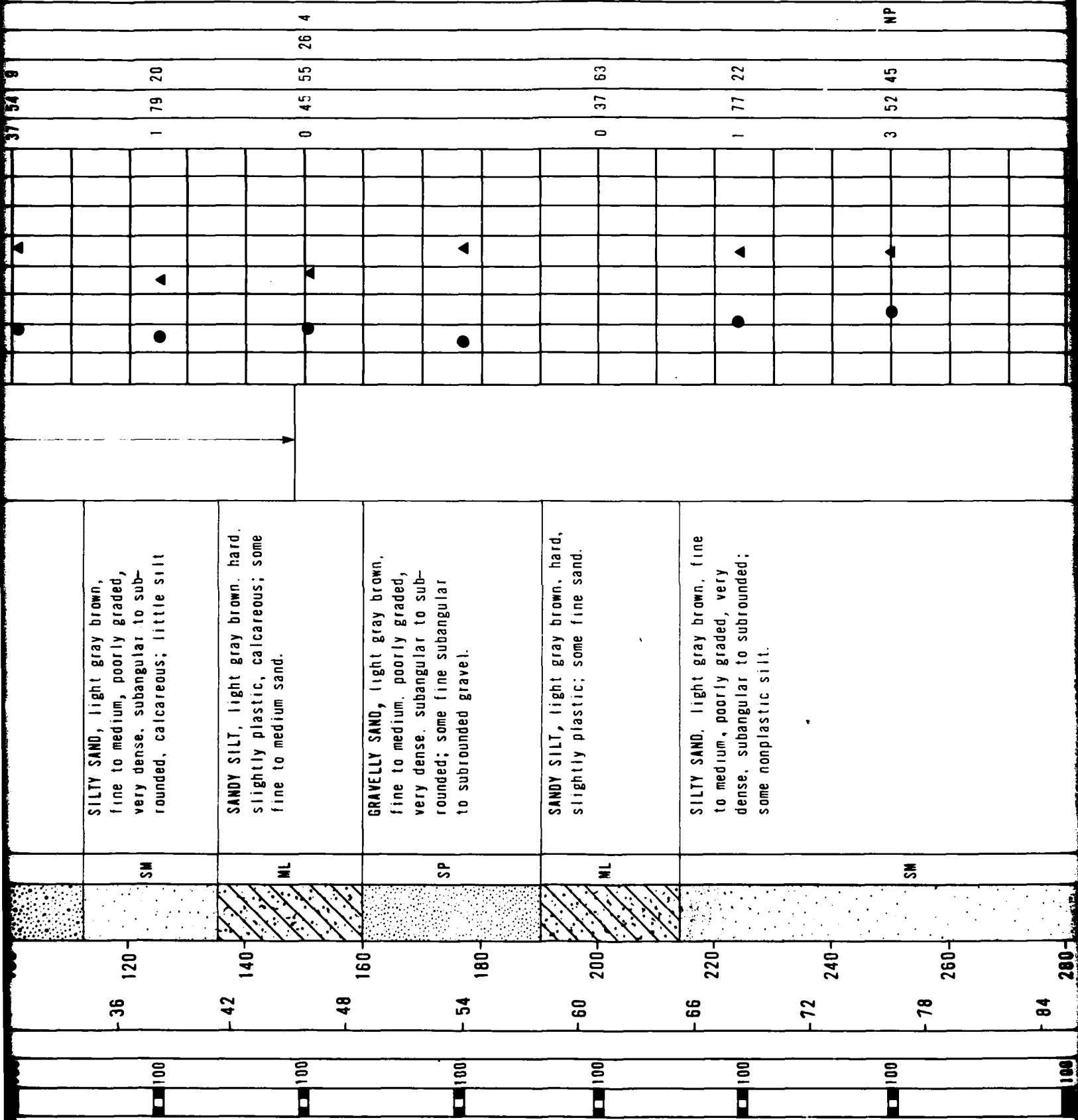
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SAMPLE TYPE	% RECOVERY	N VALUE	DEPTH METERS FEET	LITHOLOGY	USCS	SOIL DESCRIPTION	REMARKS	▲(pcf)										SIEVE ANALYSIS		
								80	100	110	120	130	140	GR	SA	FI	LL	PI		
	100		0		SP SM	GRAVELLY SAND, light brown gray, fine to coarse, poorly to well graded very dense, subangular to subrounded, calcareous; some fine to coarse subrounded to subangular gravel; trace silt; little slightly plastic clay; layer of clayey sand (20.0'-24.0').	gravel to 2"	●	▲					33	59	8				
	100		6		SW SM			●	▲					31	57	12				
	100		20					●	▲					11	71	18				
	100				SC		gravel to 3"	●	▲					11	74	15	35	20		
	100		12					●	▲					23	62	15	34	13		
	100		40					●	▲					23	59	18				
	100		18		GW GM	SANDY GRAVEL light gray brown, fine to coarse, well graded, very dense, subangular to subrounded; some fine to coarse sand; trace silt.		●	▲					47	46	7				
	100		60			GRAVELLY SAND light gray brown, fine to coarse, well graded very dense, subangular to subrounded, calcareous; some fine to coarse subangular to subrounded gravel; trace nonplastic silt.	drill chatter	●	▲					46	47	7				
	100		24		SW SM			●	▲											
	100		30					●	▲											
	100		100					●	▲					37	54	9				
	100		36		SM	SILTY SAND, light gray brown, fine to medium, poorly graded, very dense, subangular to subrounded, calcareous; little silt.		●	▲					1	79	20				

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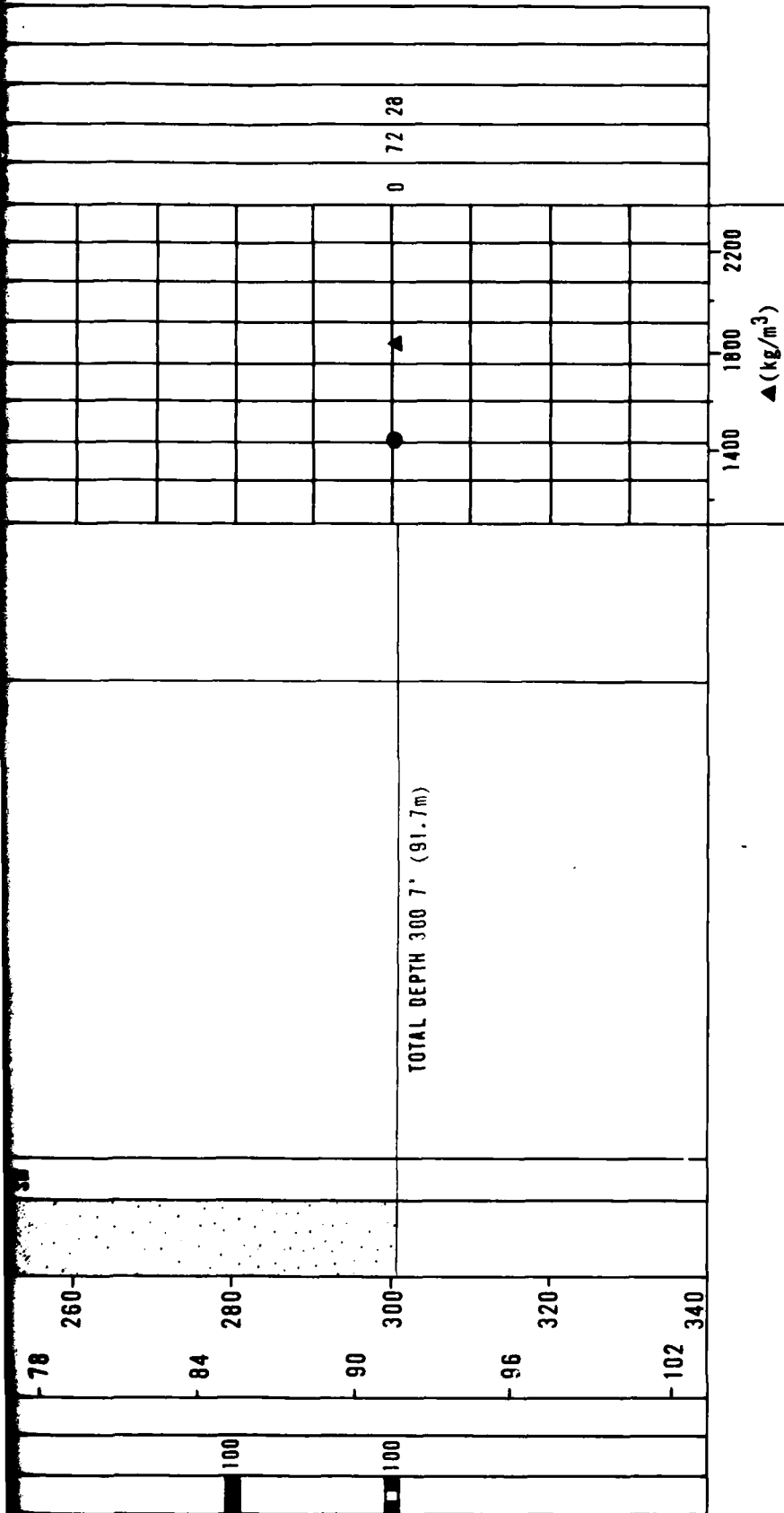
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■ FUGRO DRIVE SAMPLE

□ BULK SAMPLE

■ PITCHER TUBE SAMPLE

□ STANDARD PENETRATION TEST SAMPLE

▨ CORE SAMPLE

N - STANDARD PENETRATION RESISTANCE

▲ - DRY UNIT WEIGHT (ASTM: D-2937-71)

● - MOISTURE CONTENT (ASTM: D-2216-71)

NR - NO RECOVERY

BORING DETAILS

ELEVATION

SURFICIAL GEOLOGIC UNIT: A5y

DATE DRILLED

DRILLING METHOD

HOLE DIAMETER

WATER LEVEL

:5335' (1626m)

:15-16 August 1977

:Rotary Wash

:4 7/8" (124mm)

:Not Encountered

LOG OF BORING RV-8-8
RALSTON VALLEY, NEVADA

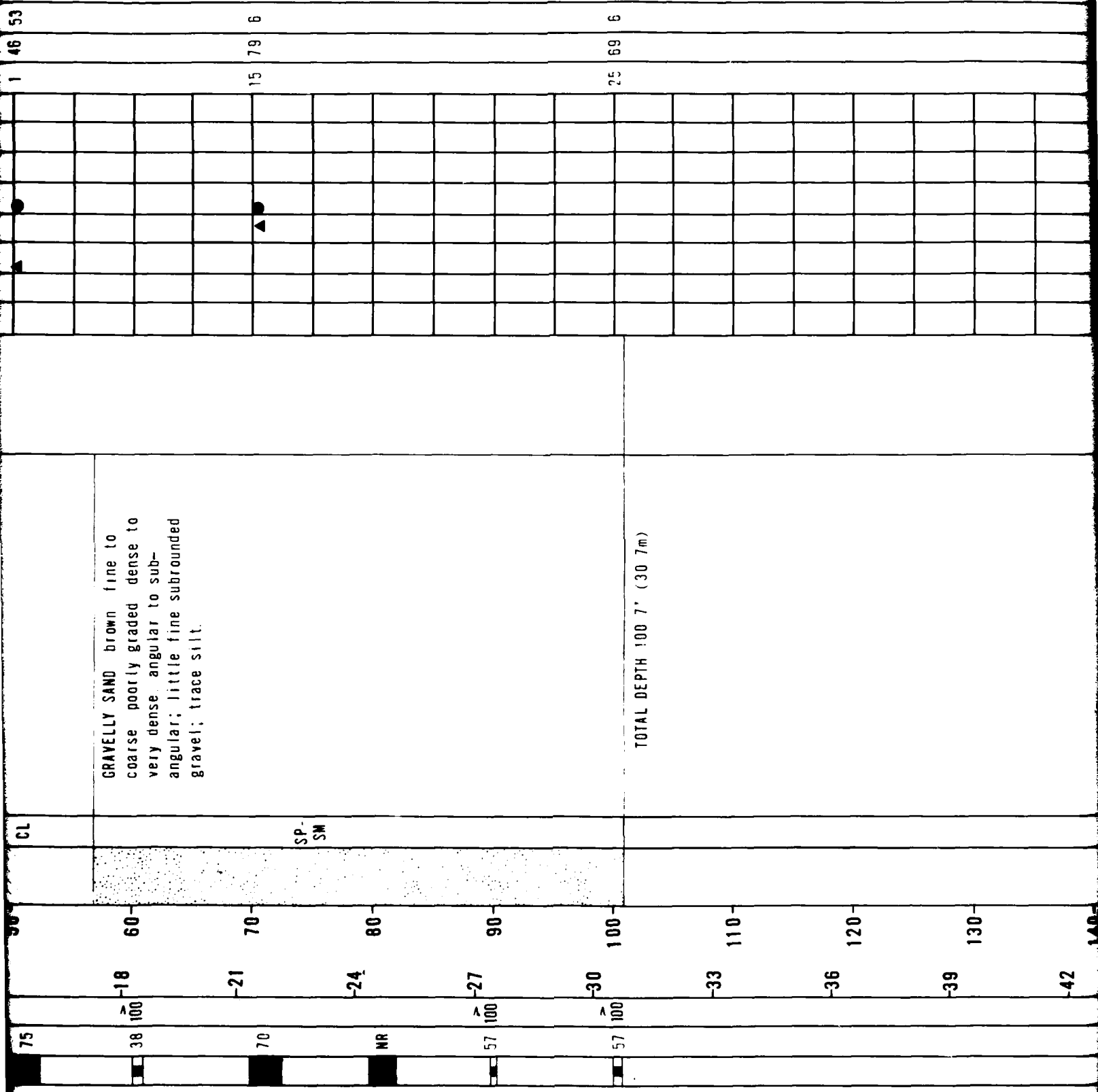
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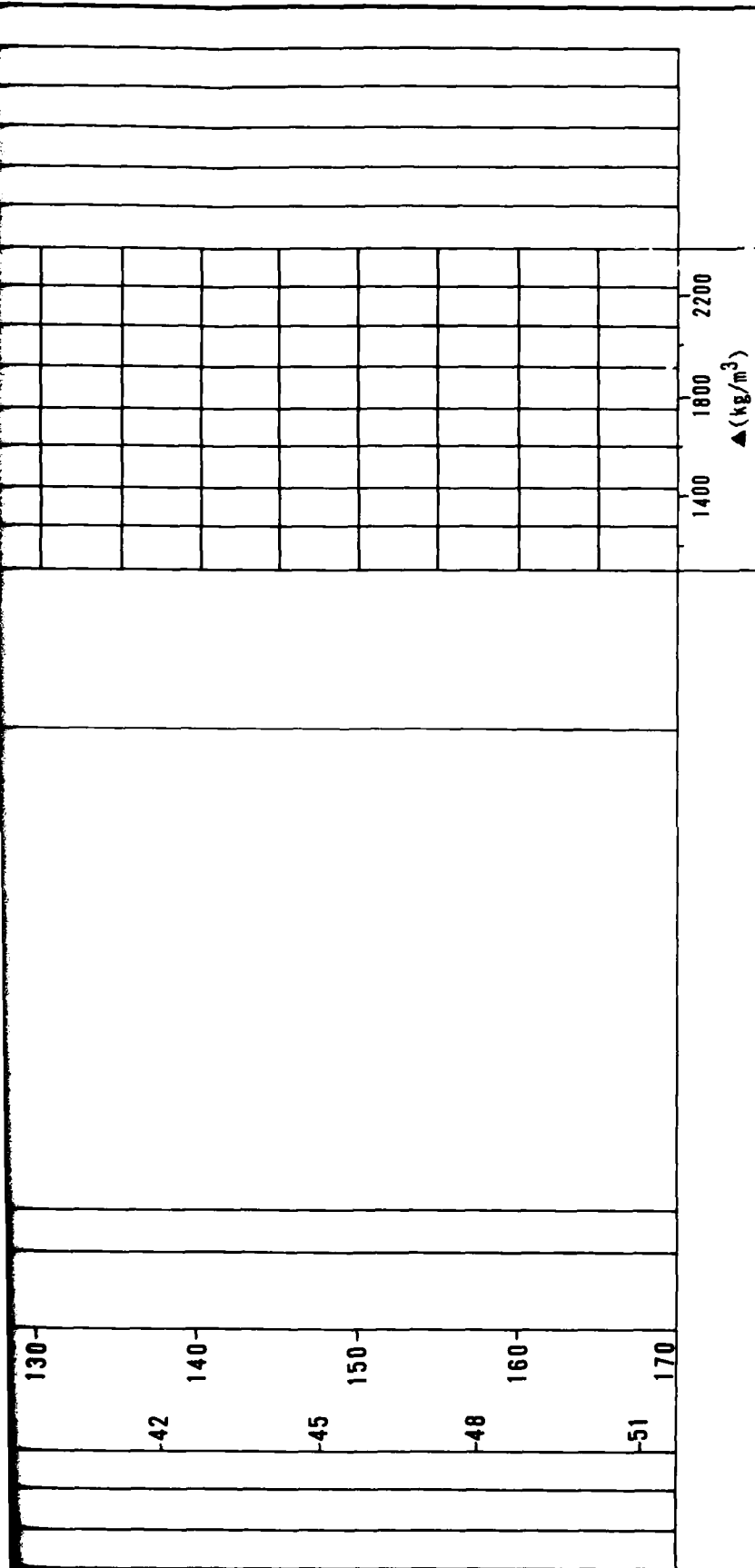
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EXPLANATION

■ FUGRO DRIVE SAMPLE

□ BULK SAMPLE

■ PITCHER TUBE SAMPLE

□ STANDARD PENETRATION TEST SAMPLE

▨ CORE SAMPLE

N - STANDARD PENETRATION RESISTANCE

▲ - DRY UNIT WEIGHT (ASTM: D-2937-71)

● - MOISTURE CONTENT (ASTM: D-2216-71)

NR - NO RECOVERY

BORING DETAILS

ELEVATION

: 5285' (1611m)

SURFICIAL GEOLOGIC UNIT

: A5y A4

DATE DRILLED

: 16 August 1977

DRILLING METHOD

: Rotary Wash

HOLE DIAMETER

: 4 7/8" (124mm)

WATER LEVEL

: Not Encountered

LOG OF BORING RV-B-9
RALSTON VALLEY, NEVADA

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DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE - BMD

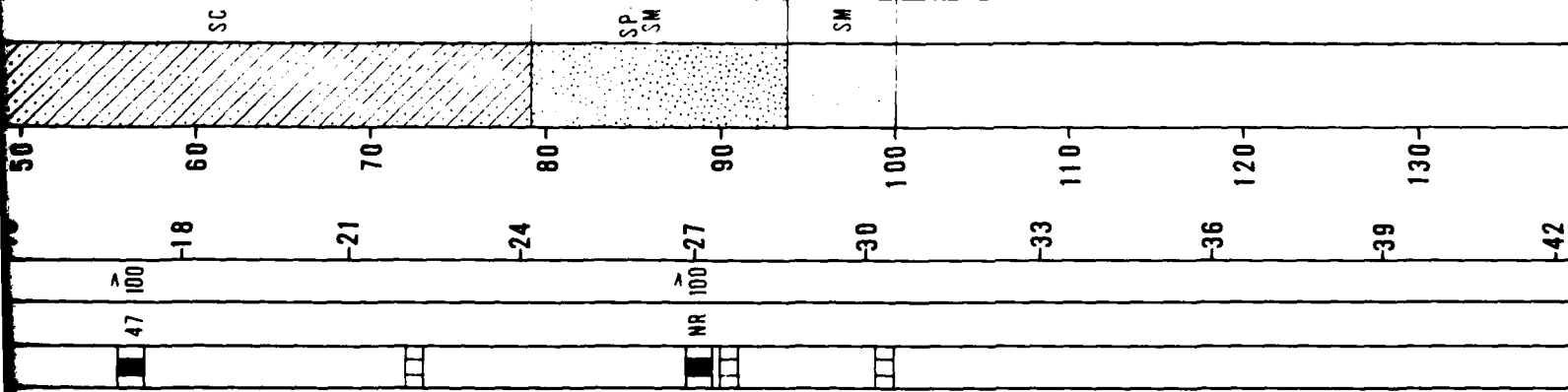
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rounded, calcareous; some slightly plastic clay; trace fine gravel.

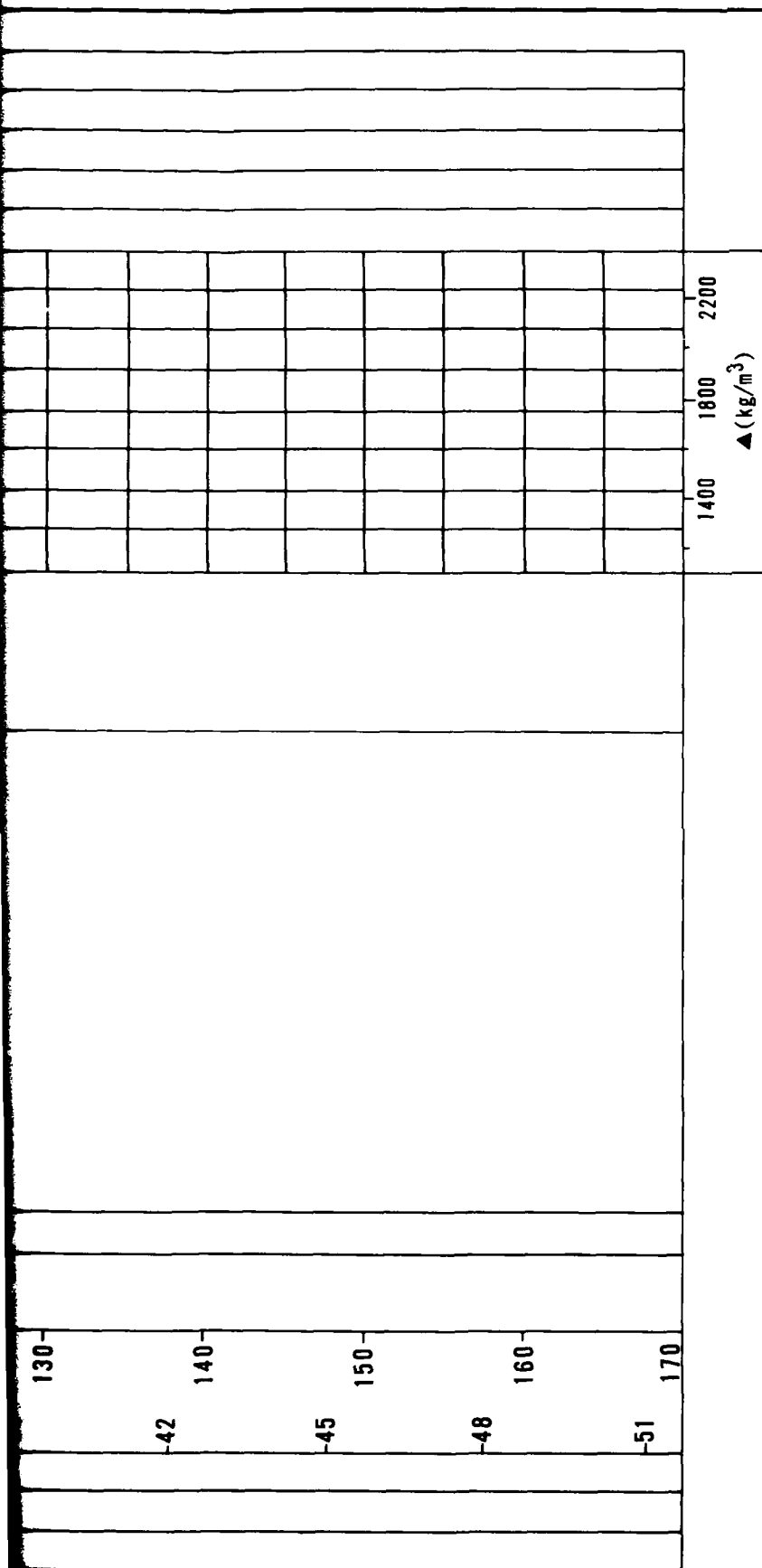


TOTAL DEPTH 100 0' (30.5m)

cobbles

30 64 6

11 72 17



EXPLANATION

■ FUGRO DRIVE SAMPLE

□ BULK SAMPLE

■ PITCHER TUBE SAMPLE

□ STANDARD PENETRATION TEST SAMPLE

▨ CORE SAMPLE

N - STANDARD PENETRATION RESISTANCE

▲ - DRY UNIT WEIGHT (ASTM: D-2937-71)

● - MOISTURE CONTENT (ASTM: D-2216-71)

NR - NO RECOVERY

BORING DETAILS

ELEVATION

:5560' (1695m)

SURFICIAL GEOLOGIC UNIT :A5y

DATE DRILLED

:3-6 August 1977

DRILLING METHOD

:Becker Percussion

HOLE DIAMETER

:5 1/2" (140mm)

WATER LEVEL

:Not Encountered

LOG OF BORING RV-B-10
RALSTON VALLEY, NEVADA

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DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE BMO

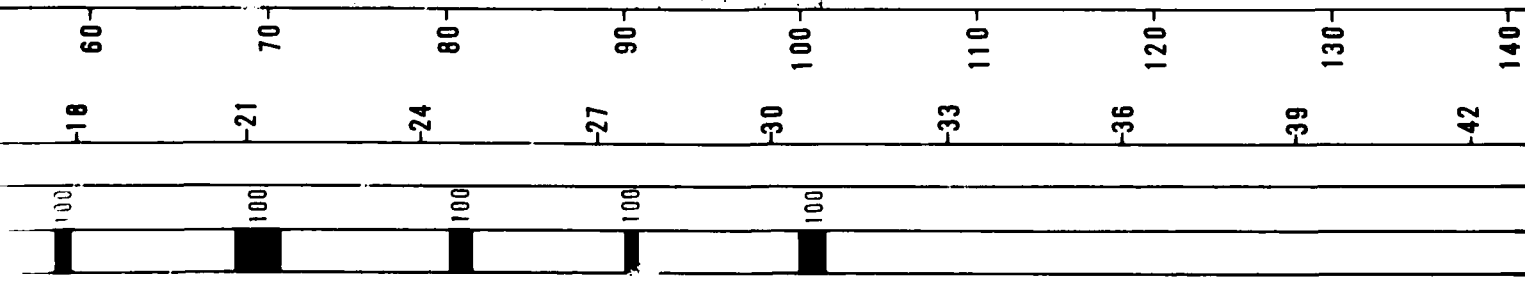
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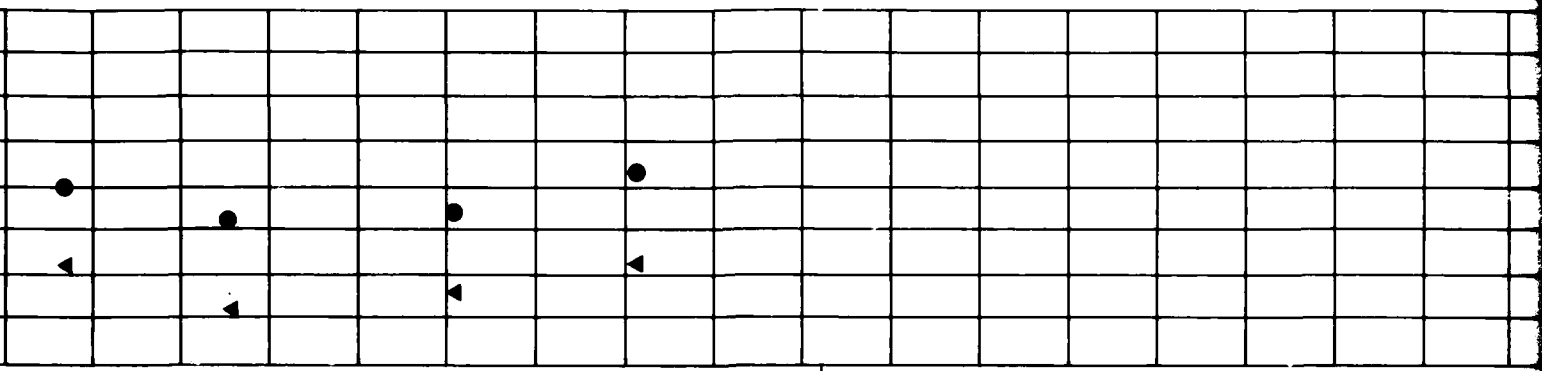
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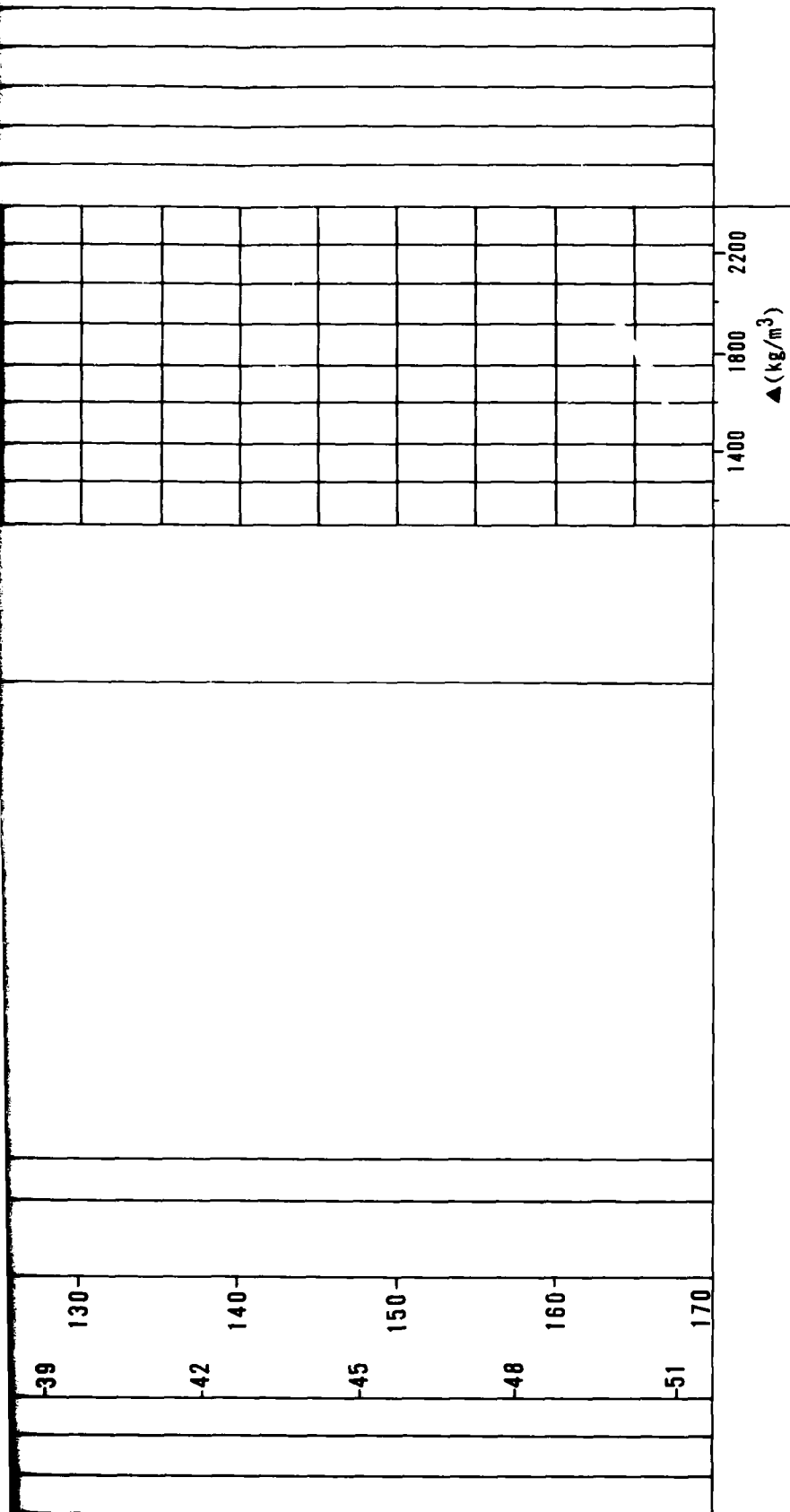


TOTAL DEPTH 101 3' (30.9m)



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EXPLANATION

■ FUGRO DRIVE SAMPLE

□ BULK SAMPLE

■ PITCHER TUBE SAMPLE

□ STANDARD PENETRATION TEST SAMPLE

▨ CORE SAMPLE

N - STANDARD PENETRATION RESISTANCE

▲ - DRY UNIT WEIGHT (ASTM: D-2937-71)

● - MOISTURE CONTENT (ASTM: D-2216-71)

NR - NO RECOVERY

BORING DETAILS

ELEVATION

: 5770' (1759m)

SURFICIAL GEOLOGIC UNIT : A5i

DATE DRILLED : 9 August 1977

DRILLING METHOD : Rotary Wash

HOLE DIAMETER : 4 7/8" (124mm)

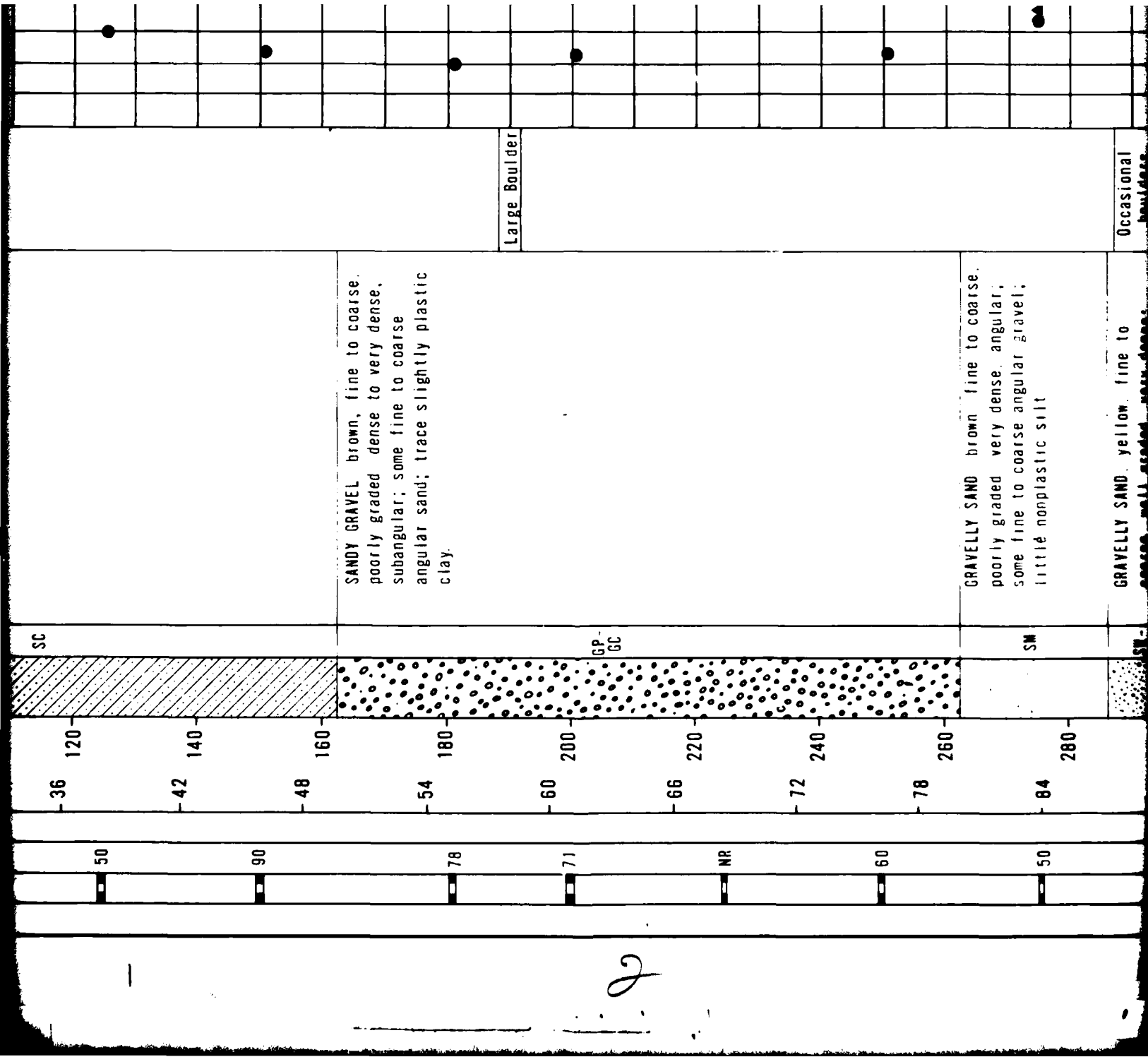
WATER LEVEL : Not Encountered

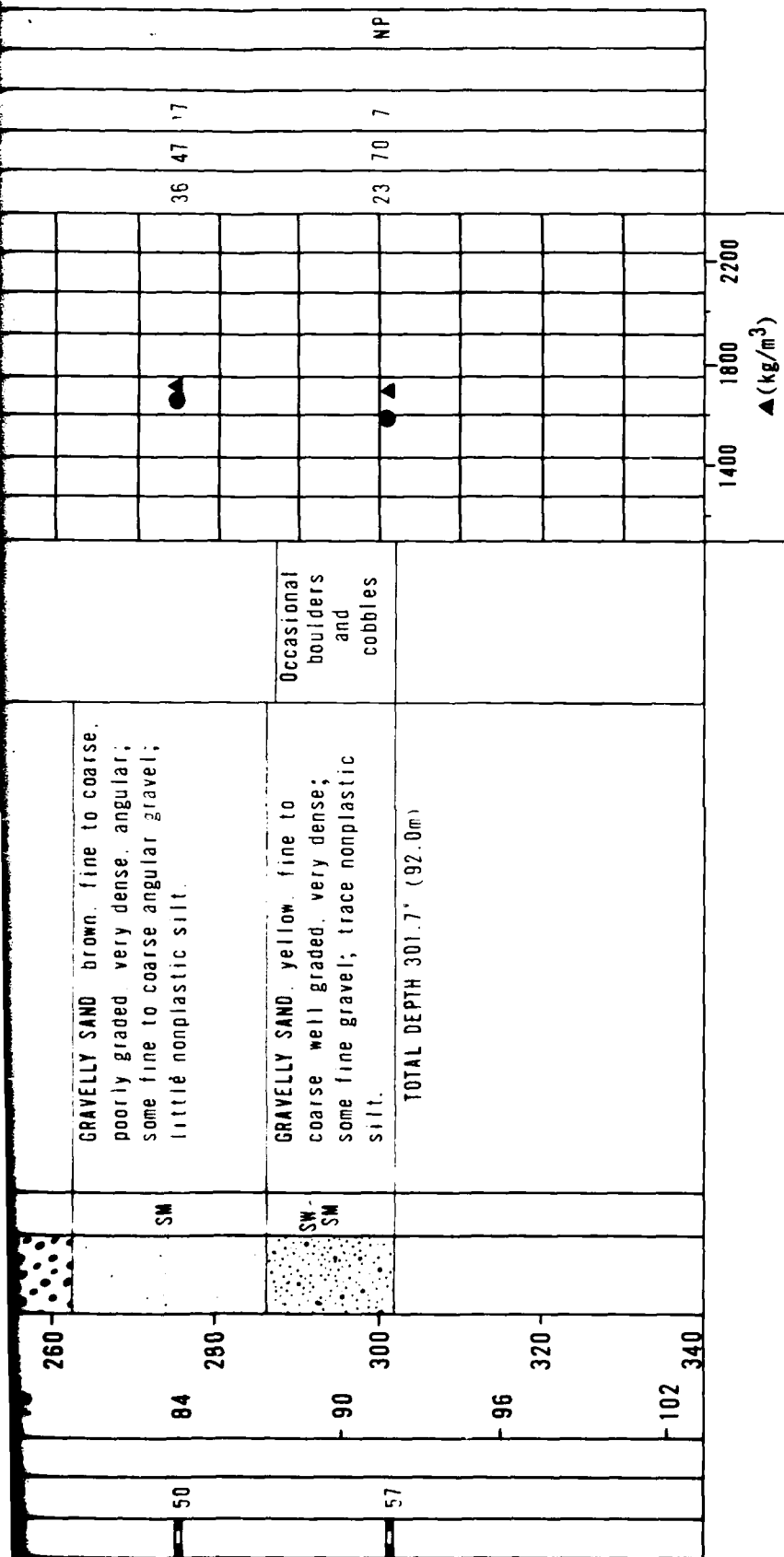
LOG OF BORING RV-B-12
RALSTON VALLEY, NEVADA

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DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE - BMO


FIGURE
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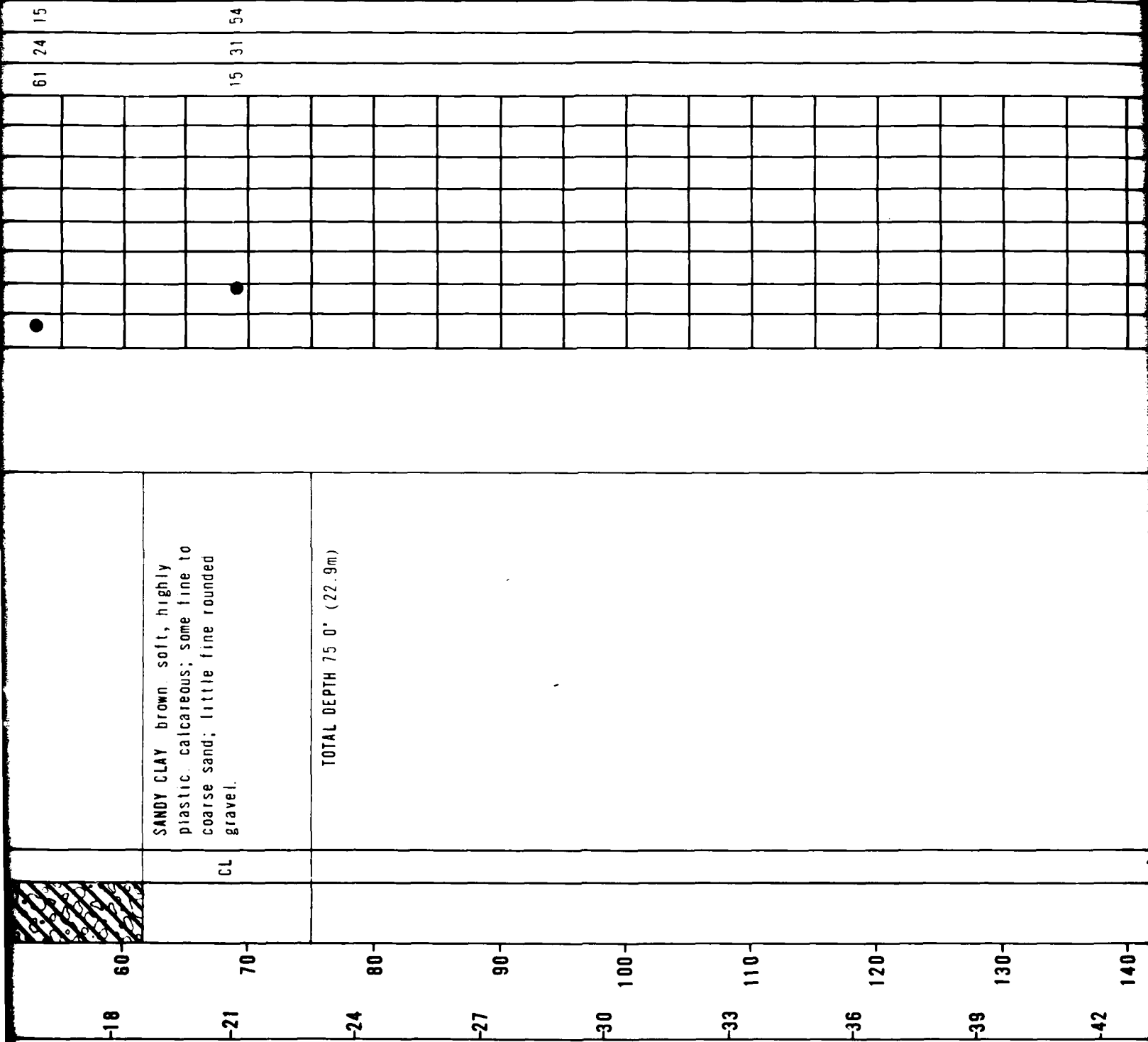
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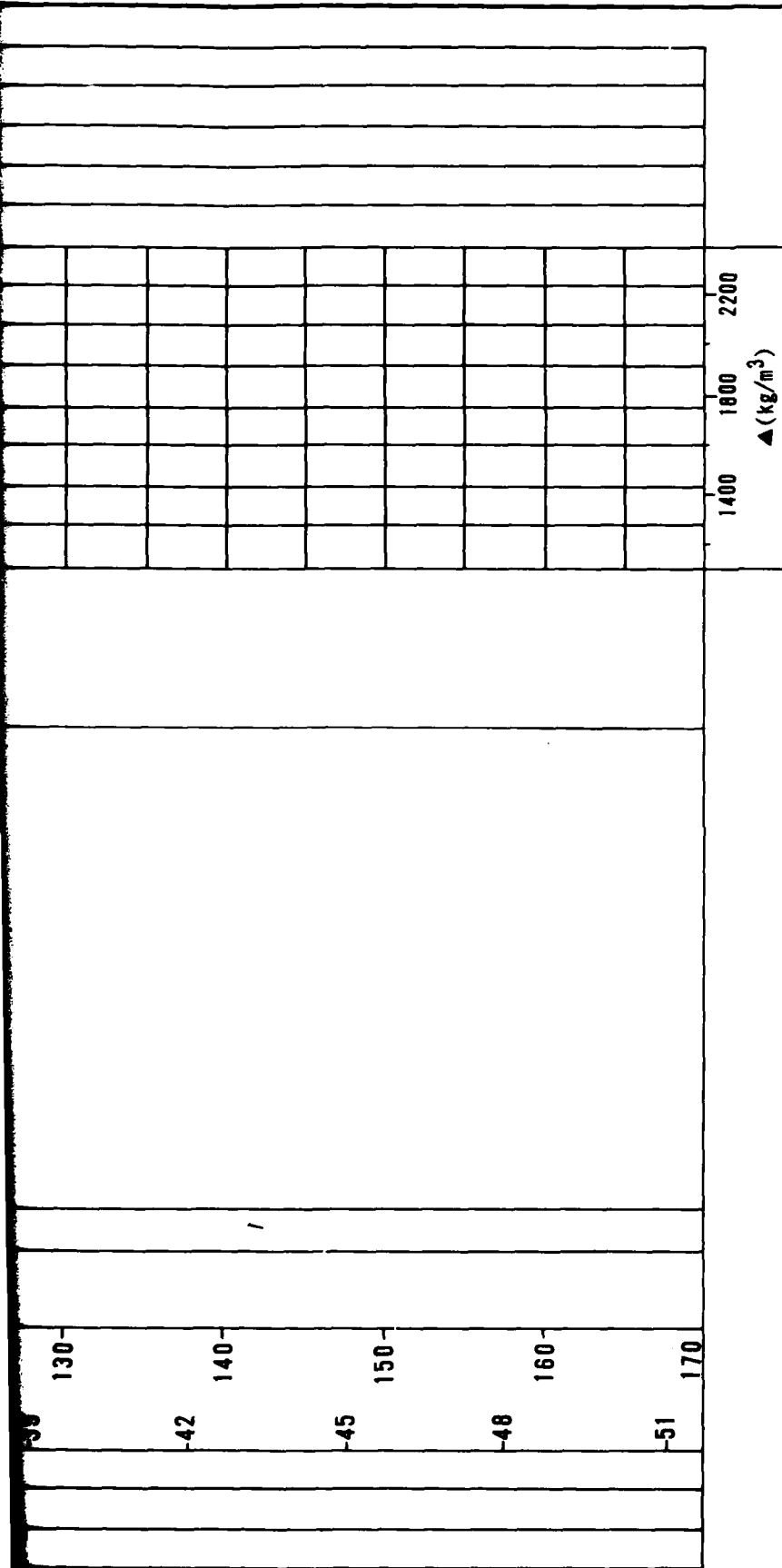


SANDY CLAY brown, soft, highly plastic, calcareous; some fine to coarse sand; little fine rounded gravel.

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TOTAL DEPTH 75 0' (22.9m)

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EXPLANATION

■ FUGRO DRIVE SAMPLE

□ BULK SAMPLE

■ PITCHER TUBE SAMPLE

□ STANDARD PENETRATION TEST SAMPLE

▨ CORE SAMPLE

N - STANDARD PENETRATION RESISTANCE

▲ - DRY UNIT WEIGHT (ASTM: D-2937-71)

● - MOISTURE CONTENT (ASTM: D-2216-71)

NR - NO RECOVERY

BORING DETAILS

ELEVATION : 5940' (1811m)
 SURFICIAL GEOLOGIC UNIT : A5i
 DATE DRILLED : 23 July 1977
 DRILLING METHOD : Becker Percussion
 HOLE DIAMETER : 5 1/2" (140mm)
 WATER LEVEL : Not Encountered

LOG OF BORING RV-B-14 RALSTON VALLEY, NEVADA	
MX SITING INVESTIGATION DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE - BMO	FIGURE II-4-13
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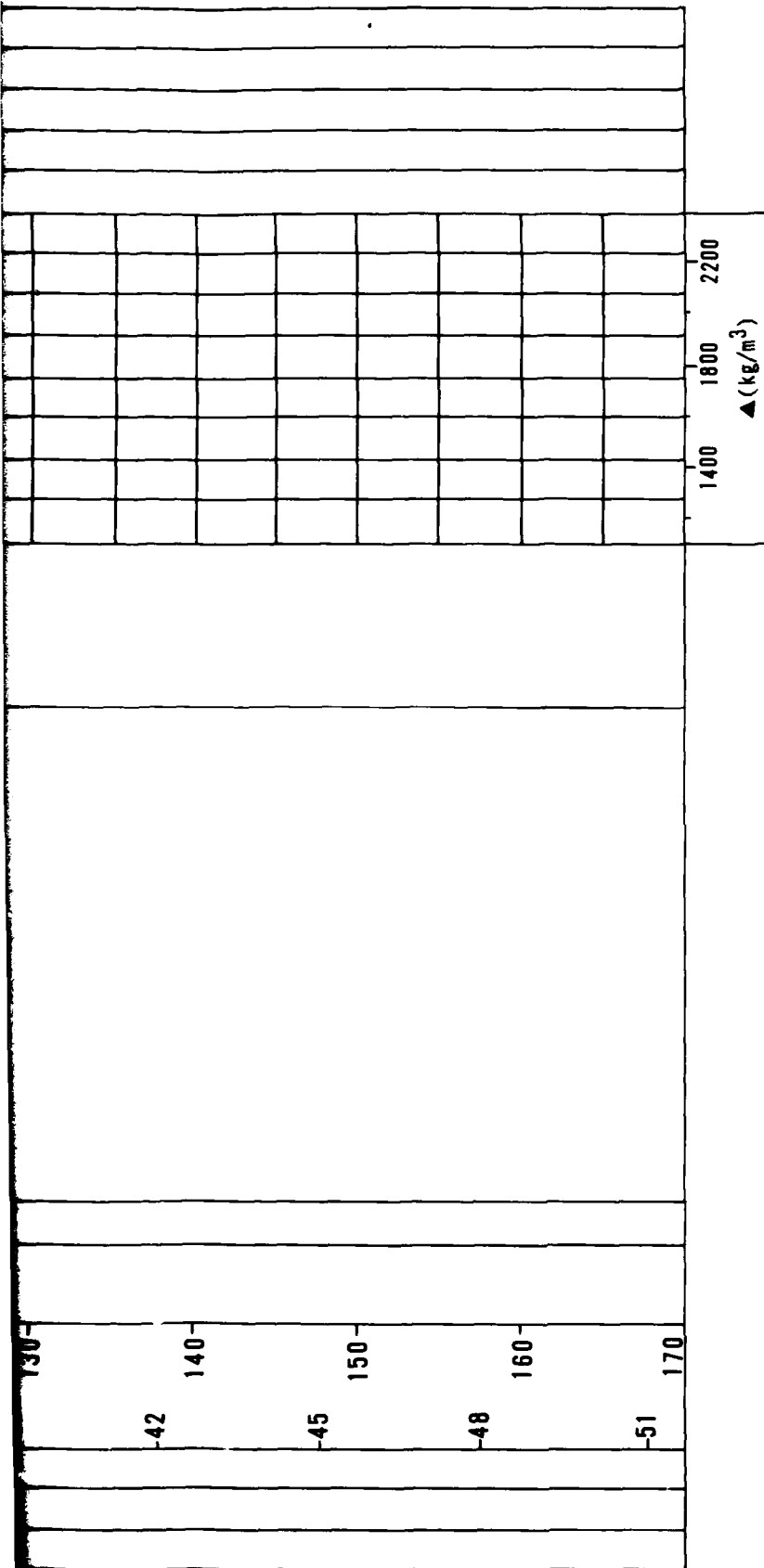
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LATITE, medium-dark-gray to light-
brownish-gray, very dense, porphyritic.

Rock

TOTAL DEPTH 82 0' (25 0m)

99



EXPLANATION

■ FUGRO DRIVE SAMPLE

□ BULK SAMPLE

■ PITCHER TUBE SAMPLE

□ STANDARD PENETRATION TEST SAMPLE

▨ CORE SAMPLE

N - STANDARD PENETRATION RESISTANCE

▲ - DRY UNIT WEIGHT (ASTM: D-2937-71)

● - MOISTURE CONTENT (ASTM: D-2216-71)

NR - NO RECOVERY

BORING DETAILS

ELEVATION : 5555' (1693m)
 SURFICIAL GEOLOGIC UNIT : A5y
 DATE DRILLED : 6-7 August 1977
 DRILLING METHOD : Becker Percussion
 HOLE DIAMETER : 5 1/2" (140mm)
 WATER LEVEL : Not Encountered

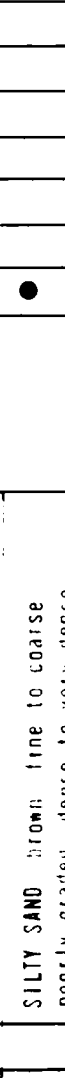
LOG OF BORING RV-B-15
 RALSTON VALLEY, NEVADA

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 DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE BMD

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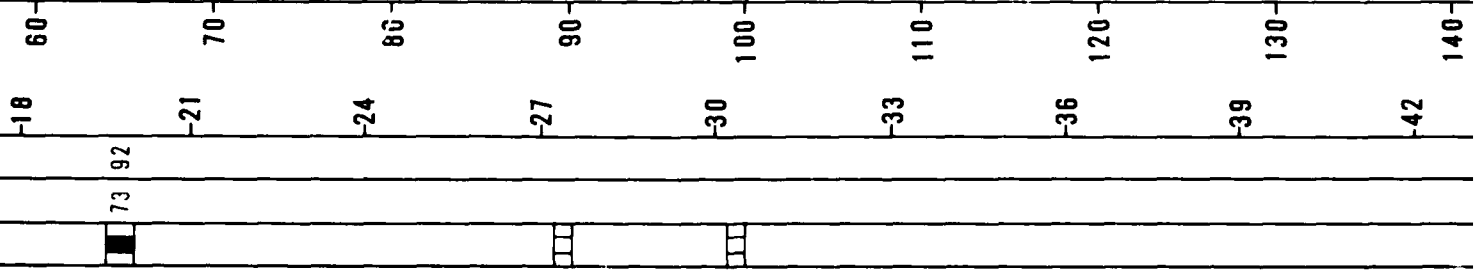
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		-3	10					
		-6	20					
		-9	30					
		-12	40					
		-15	50					
		-18	60				SILTY SAND brown, fine to coarse poorly graded, dense to very dense little to some silt; trace to little fine gravel.	

fine gravel.

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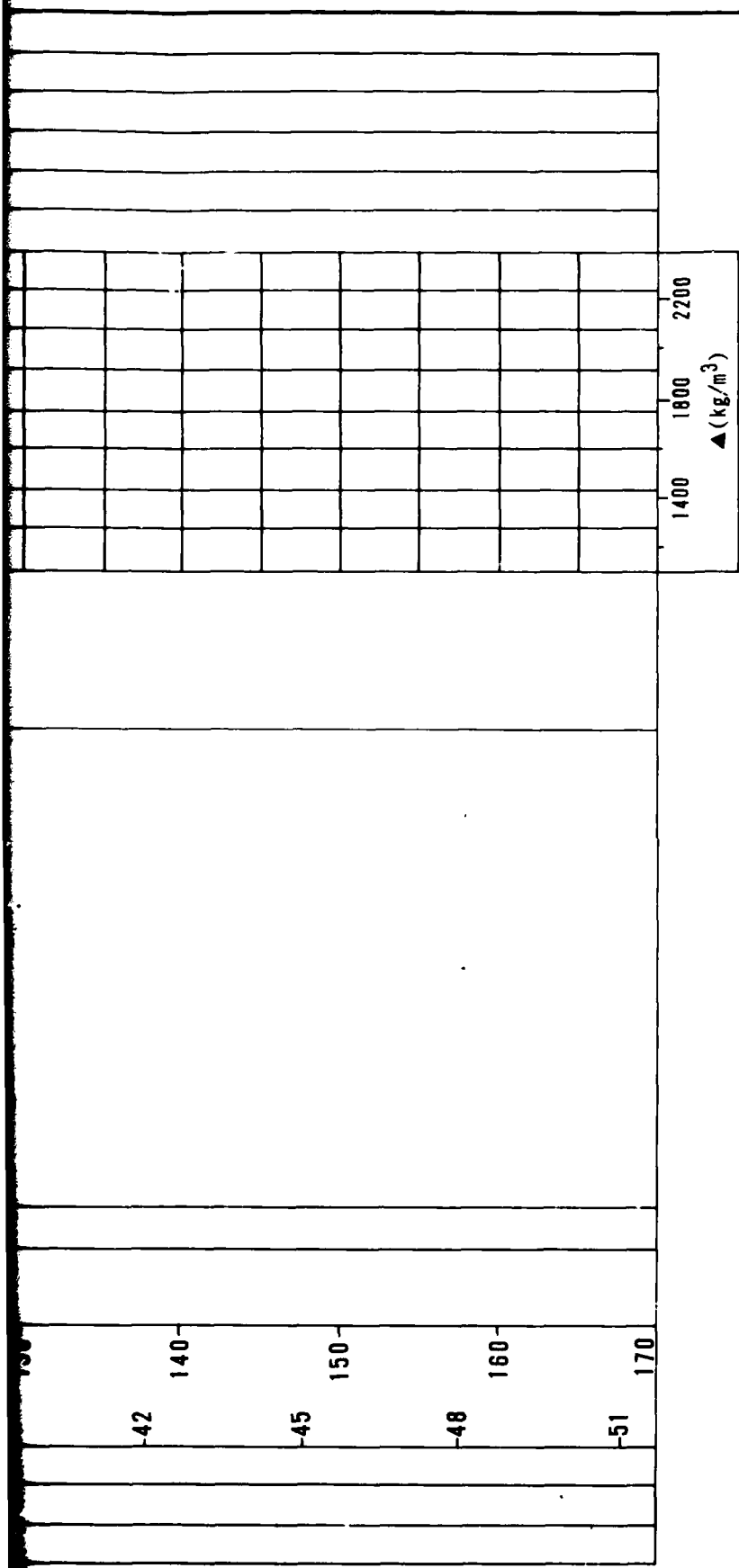
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boulders

TOTAL DEPTH 100 0' (30.5m)



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1 72 27



EXPLANATION

- FUGRO DRIVE SAMPLE
- BULK SAMPLE
- PITCHER TUBE SAMPLE
- STANDARD PENETRATION TEST SAMPLE
- ▨ CORE SAMPLE
- N - STANDARD PENETRATION RESISTANCE
- ▲ - DRY UNIT WEIGHT (ASTM: D-2937-71)
- - MOISTURE CONTENT (ASTM: D-2216-71)
- NR - NO RECOVERY

BORING DETAILS

ELEVATION : 5380' (1640m)
 SURFICIAL GEOLOGIC UNIT : A5y
 DATE DRILLED : 8-9 August 1977
 DRILLING METHOD : Becker Percussion
 HOLE DIAMETER : 5 1/2" (140mm)
 WATER LEVEL : Not Encountered

LOG OF BORING RV-B-16 RALSTON VALLEY, NEVADA	
MX SITING INVESTIGATION DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE BMO	FIGURE II-4-15
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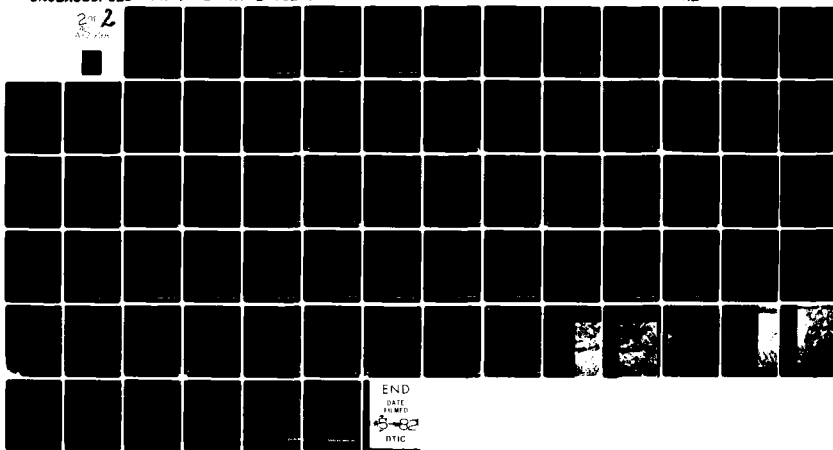
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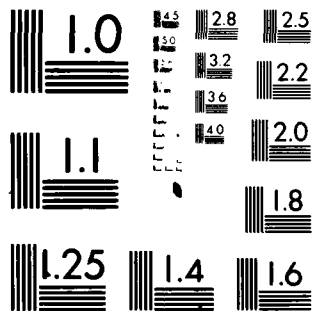
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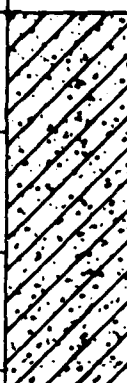

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SECTION 5.0

TRENCH LOGS

5.0 EXPLANATIONS OF TRENCH LOGS

See Section 4.0, "Boring Logs", for explanations.

BULK SAMPLE	DEPTH		LITHOLOGY	USCS	CONSISTENCY	SOIL DESCRIPTION	REMARKS	SIEVE ANALYSIS							
	METERS	FEET						GR	SA	FI	LL	PI			
	0	0			ML	hard	<div>↑</div> <div>vertical walls stable</div> <div>↓</div>	0	41	59					
	2														
	1														
	4														
	6														
	2					SILTY SAND, gray, fine to coarse, poorly graded, slightly moist, subangular to subrounded; calcareous; some nonplastic silt.									
	8														
	3														
	10														
	12							SM	medium dense		1	61	38		NP
	4														
	14														
	18										2	70	28		
	5														
	18														
	6														
	20														
							</								

TRENCH DETAILS

SURFACE ELEVATION : 5180' (1579m)
 DATE EXCAVATED : 18 August 1977
 SURFICIAL GEOLOGIC UNIT: A4
 TRENCH LENGTH : 80.0' (18.0m)
 TRENCH ORIENTATION : NE-SW

LOG OF TRENCH RV-T-1
 RALSTON VALLEY, NEVADA

MX SITING INVESTIGATION
 DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE - WMO

FIGURE
 II-5-1

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BULK SAMPLE	DEPTH METERS FEET	LITHOLOGY	USCS	CONSISTENCY	SOIL DESCRIPTION	REMARKS	SIEVE ANALYSIS				
							GR	SA	FI	LL	PI
	0		ML	soft	SANDY SILT, light brown, nonplastic, calcareous; some fine to coarse sand.		1	38	80	21	3
	2				SILTY SAND, gray to brown, fine to coarse, poorly graded, dry, sub-rounded, calcareous; little to some nonplastic silt.		1	73	26		NP
	4										
	6										
	8			dense							
	10		SM			vertical walls unstable					
	12										
	14						0	84	18		
	16										
	18			medium dense			2	76	22		
	20				TOTAL DEPTH 18.0' (5.5m)						

TRENCH DETAILS

SURFACE ELEVATION : 5240' (1587m)
 DATE EXCAVATED : 18 August 1977
 SURFICIAL GEOLOGIC UNIT: A5y/A4
 TRENCH LENGTH : 54.0' (16.5m)
 TRENCH ORIENTATION : NE-SW

 LOG OF TRENCH RV-T-2
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FIGURE
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BULK SAMPLE	DEPTH METERS FEET	LITHOLOGY	USCS	CONSISTENCY	SOIL DESCRIPTION	REMARKS	SIEVE ANALYSIS				
							GR	SA	FI	LL	PI
	0			loose	GRAVELLY SAND, brown, fine to coarse, poorly graded, slightly moist to very moist, subangular to subrounded, calcareous; some fine gravel.						
	2										
	1						34	63	3		
	4		SP	medium dense		vertical walls unstable					
	6										
	8										
	3			dense							
	10										
	12				GRAVELLY SAND, brown, fine to coarse, well graded, slightly moist, subangular to subrounded, calcareous; some fine to coarse gravel; trace silt.						
	4		SW-SH	dense		vertical walls stable					
	14										
	16										
	5										
	18						41	53	6		
	6				TOTAL DEPTH 18.0' (5.5m)						
	20										

TRENCH DETAILS

SURFACE ELEVATION : 5335' (1628m)
 DATE EXCAVATED : 20 August 1977
 SURFICIAL GEOLOGIC UNIT: A5y
 TRENCH LENGTH : 56.0' (17.1m)
 TRENCH ORIENTATION : E-W

**LOG OF TRENCH RV-T-3
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FIGURE
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BULK SAMPLE	DEPTH METERS FEET	LITHOLOGY	USCS	CONSISTENCY	SOIL DESCRIPTION	REMARKS	SIEVE ANALYSIS				
							GR	SA	FI	LL	PI
	0		ML	firm	SANDY SILT, brown, moist, non-plastic, calcareous.					19	3
	2										
	1		SP		GRAVELLY SAND, brown, fine to coarse, poorly graded, slightly moist, sub-angular to subrounded, calcareous; little to some fine gravel; trace silt.		38	60	4		
	4										
	2			medium dense		vertical walls sloughing					
	8										
	3										
	10		SP-SW								
	12						13	80	7		
	4					vertical walls stable					
	14										
	5			dense							
	16										
	18				TOTAL DEPTH 18.0' (5.5m)						
	6										
	20										

TRENCH DETAILS

SURFACE ELEVATION : 5285' (1611m)
 DATE EXCAVATED : 19 August 1977
 SURFICIAL GEOLOGIC UNIT: A5y/A4
 TRENCH LENGTH : 89.0' (21.0m)
 TRENCH ORIENTATION : NW-SE

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FIGURE
 II-5-4

FLUORO NATIONAL INC.

BULK SAMPLE	DEPTH METERS FEET	LITHOLOGY	USCS	CONSISTENCY	SOIL DESCRIPTION	REMARKS	SIEVE ANALYSIS				
							GR	SA	FI	LL	PI
	0				GRAVELLY SAND, brown, fine to coarse, poorly graded, dry, subangular, calcareous; some fine to coarse gravel; trace silt; caliche lenses.	vertical walls stable					
	2			loose							
	1										
	4		SP-SM				38	55	7		
	6										
2	8					cobbles to 8" size					
	10			dense							
	12										
	14		SW-SM			vertical walls stable					
4	16						30	61	9		
	18										
5	20				TOTAL DEPTH 18.0' (5.5m)						
6											

TRENCH DETAILS

SURFACE ELEVATION : 5590' (1704m)
 DATE EXCAVATED : 18 August 1977
 SURFICIAL GEOLOGIC UNIT: A5y
 TRENCH LENGTH : 65.0' (19.8m)
 TRENCH ORIENTATION : NW-SE

LOG OF TRENCH RV-T-5
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FIGURE
 II-5-5

VERO NATIONAL INC.

BULK SAMPLE	DEPTH METERS FEET	LITHOLOGY	USCS	CONSISTENCY	SOIL DESCRIPTION	REMARKS	SIEVE ANALYSIS				
							GR	SA	FI	LL	PI
	0			loose	GRAVELLY SAND, light brown to brown, fine to coarse, poorly graded, slightly moist to moist, subangular to subrounded, calcareous; some fine to coarse subangular to subrounded sand; trace silt; occasional cobbles to 6" size.	vertical walls stable					
	2						48	49	3		
	4		SP								
	6										
	8			dense							
	10										
	12		SP-SM								
	14										
	16			very dense							
	18						45	49	6		
	20				TOTAL DEPTH 18.0' (5.5m)						

TRENCH DETAILS

SURFACE ELEVATION : 5545' (1690m)
 DATE EXCAVATED : 18 August 1977
 SURFICIAL GEOLOGIC UNIT: A5y
 TRENCH LENGTH : 85.0' (19.8m)
 TRENCH ORIENTATION : E-W

LOG OF TRENCH RV-T-6
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FIGURE
 II-5-6

FURRO NATIONAL INC.

BULK SAMPLE	DEPTH METERS FEET	LITHOLOGY	USCS	CONSISTENCY	SOIL DESCRIPTION	REMARKS	SIEVE ANALYSIS				
							GR	SA	FI	LL	PI
	0				SANDY SILT, brown, moist, nonplastic, calcareous; some fine to coarse sand; caliche lenses.					19	1
	2		ML	soft							
	4					vertical walls unstable					
	6			medium dense	GRAVELLY SAND, light brown, fine to coarse, well to poorly graded, slightly moist, subangular to sub-rounded, calcareous; some fine to coarse gravel; trace to little silt.						
	8										
	10		SW-SM								
	12			dense			29	63	8		
	14					vertical walls stable					
	16		SM								
	18			medium dense			28	59	13		
	20				TOTAL DEPTH 18.0' (5.5m)						

TRENCH DETAILS

SURFACE ELEVATION : 5940' (1811m)
 DATE EXCAVATED : 19 August 1977
 SURFICIAL GEOLOGIC UNIT: A51
 TRENCH LENGTH : 88.0' (27.0m)
 TRENCH ORIENTATION : NE-SW

 LOG OF TRENCH RV-T-7
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FIGURE
 II-5-7

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BULK SAMPLE	DEPTH METERS FEET	LITHOLOGY	USCS	CONSISTENCY	SOIL DESCRIPTION	REMARKS	SIEVE ANALYSIS				
							GR	SA	FI	LL	PI
	0			loose	GRAVELLY SAND, light brown to dark brown, fine to coarse, poorly graded, dry to moist, subangular to subrounded, calcareous; some fine to coarse gravel; caliche (1.0'-1.2').	vertical walls sloughing					
	2						37	61	2		
1	4		SP	medium dense							
	6										
2	8				SILTY SAND, light brown, fine to coarse, poorly graded, slightly moist, subangular to subrounded, calcareous; some nonplastic silt; trace fine gravel.	vertical walls stable	11	59	30		
	10		SM	dense							
3	12										
4	14										
	16				GRAVELLY SAND, light brown, fine to coarse, poorly graded, slightly moist, subangular to subrounded, calcareous; some fine to coarse gravel.		47	51	2		
5	18		SP	medium dense							
	20				TOTAL DEPTH 18.0' (5.5m)						

TRENCH DETAILS

SURFACE ELEVATION : 5380' (1640m)
 DATE EXCAVATED : 20 August 1977
 SURFICIAL GEOLOGIC UNIT: A5y
 TRENCH LENGTH : 74.0' (23.0m)
 TRENCH ORIENTATION : N-S

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FIGURE
 II-5-8

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SECTION 6.0
LABORATORY TEST RESULTS

6.0 EXPLANATIONS OF LABORATORY TEST RESULTS

Laboratory test results are presented in this section. Table II-6-1 contains a summary of laboratory test results. This table contains results of sieve analysis; plasticity data; in-situ dry unit weight, moisture content, degree of saturation, and void ratio for drive and Pitcher samples; results of compaction tests; and specific gravity of solids. Other tests such as triaxial compression, unconfined compression, direct shear, consolidation, chemical, and California Bearing Ratio (CBR) are indicated on the table. Tables II-6-2 through II-6-4 and Figures II-6-1 through II-6-14 present results of triaxial compression, unconfined compression, direct shear, chemical, and CBR tests.

All tests were performed in general accordance with the American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM) procedures. The following list presents the ASTM designations for the tests performed during the investigation.

<u>Type of Test</u>	<u>ASTM Designations</u>
Particle Size Analysis	D 422-63
Liquid Limit	D 423-66
Plastic Limit	D 424-59
Unit Weight	D 2937-71
Moisture Content	D 2216-71
Compaction	D 1557-70
Specific Gravity of Solids	D 854-58
Triaxial	D 2850-70
Unconfined Compression	D 2166-66
Direct Shear	D 3080-72
Consolidation	D 2435-70
Test for Alkalinity (pH)	D 1067-70
Water Soluble Sodium	D 1428-64
Water Soluble Chloride	D 512-67
Water Soluble Sulphate	D 516-68
Water Soluble Calcium	D 511-72
Calcium Carbonate	D 1126-67
California Bearing Ratio (CBR)	D 1883-73

Explanation for the tables and figures presented in this section are as follows.

- A. Activity Number - Boring or trench sample designation.
- B. Sample Number - Prefix indicates the type of sample; explanation is at the bottom of the table.
- C. Sample Interval - This is the depth range measured from ground surface over which the sample was obtained.
- D. Percent Finer by Weight - Presents the results of laboratory particle size analysis (ASTM D 422-63) performed on representative soil samples at the depth indicated. The numbers represent the percent (by dry weight) of the total sample weight passing through each sieve size indicated.
- E. Atterberg Limits (ASTM D 423-66 and D 424-59)
 - LL - Liquid Limit, the water content (as percent of soil dry weight) corresponding to the arbitrary limit between the liquid and plastic states of consistency of a soil (ASTM D 423-66).
 - PL - Plastic Limit, the water content corresponding to an arbitrary limit between the plastic and the semisolid state of consistency of a soil (ASTM D 424-59).
 - PI - Plasticity Index, numerical difference between the liquid limit (LL) and the plastic limit (PL) indicating the range of moisture content within which a soil-water mixture is plastic.
 - NP - Nonplastic.
- F. USCS - Unified Soil Classification Symbols are given here; see Table II-4-1 in Section 4.0, "Boring Logs", for complete details of USCS system.

G. In Situ - Presents results of tests on drive and Pitcher samples.

Dry Unit Weight - indicates dry unit weight of soil determined as per ASTM D 2937-71

Moisture Content - weight of water reported in percent of dry weight of soil sample (ASTM D 2216-71)

Saturation - the degree of saturation in a soil sample is defined as the ratio (in percent) of the volume of water to the volume of all voids in the soil

Void Ratio - the numerical ratio of the volume of voids to the volume of solids in a soil specimen

H. Compacted - Indicates results of laboratory maximum dry density and optimum moisture content test as per ASTM D 1557-70.

I. Specific Gravity of Solids (ASTM D 854-58) - Indicates the ratio of (1) the weight in air of a given volume of soil solids at a stated temperature, to (2) the weight in air of an equal volume of distilled water at a stated temperature.

J. Triaxial - The triaxial compression tests were performed in accordance with the procedures of ASTM D 2850-70. The following explanations and definitions apply.

Triaxial Compression Test - a cylindrical specimen of soil is surrounded by a fluid in a pressure chamber and subjected to an isotropic pressure. An additional compressive load is then applied, directed along the axis of the specimen called the axial load.

Consolidated-Drained (CD) Test - a triaxial compression test in which the soil was first consolidated under an all-around confining stress (test chamber pressure), and was then compressed (and hence sheared) by increasing the vertical stress. "Drained" indicates that excess pore water pressure generated by strains are permitted to dissipate by the free movement of pore water during consolidation and compression.

Consolidated-Undrained (CU) Test - a triaxial compression test in which essentially complete consolidation under the confining (chamber) pressure is followed by a shear test at constant water content.

Confining Pressure (σ_3) - the isotropic chamber pressure applied to the soil specimen during consolidation and compression.

Maximum Deviator Stress ($\sigma_1 - \sigma_3$) - the difference between the major and minor principal stresses in the specimen at failure. The major principal stress on the specimen is equal to the unit axial load plus the chamber pressure and the minor principal stress on the specimen is equal to the chamber pressure.

Strain Rate - axial strain, ϵ , at a given stress level is defined as the ratio of the change in length (L) of the specimen to the original length of the specimen (L_0). The rate of strain was controlled during the test so that this ratio increased at equal increments for each minute of testing.

Back Pressure - pressure in excess of atmospheric applied to the pore water of a soil sample. Back pressure is usually applied to (1) increase saturation of the sample, or (2) simulate the actual in-situ pressure regime.

- K. Unconfined Compression - Test procedures were as described in ASTM D 2166-66. Unconfined compressive strength is defined as the load per unit area at which an unconfined prismatic or cylindrical specimen of soil will fail in a simple compression test. In these methods, unconfined compressive strength is taken as the maximum load attained per unit area or the load per unit area at 20 percent axial strain, whichever occurred first during the performance of a test.
- L. Direct Shear - The procedures of ASTM D 3080-72 were followed for direct shear testing. In this test, soil under an applied normal load is stressed to failure by moving one section of the soil container (shear box) relative to the

other section. Normal stress is the value of load per unit area acting perpendicular to the plane of shearing. Maximum shear strength is defined as the maximum resistance (ksf) of a soil to shearing (tangential) stresses.

- M. Consolidation (ASTM D 2435-70) - A consolidation test is a test in which a cylindrical soil specimen is laterally confined in a ring and compressed between porous plates. The term "consolidation", as used here, indicates the gradual reduction in volume of the soil mass resulting from an increase in compressive stress (axial load per unit area).
- N. Chemical - The chemical tests performed on soil samples included: pH; water soluble sodium, chloride, sulphate, calcium; and calcium carbonate content. pH is an index of the acidity or alkalinity of a soil in terms of the logarithm of the reciprocal of the hydrogen ion concentration. ASTM test procedure designations for these chemical tests are included in the list on the first page of these Explanations.
- O. CBR - California Bearing Ratio (CBR) is the ratio (in percent) of the resistance to penetration developed by a subgrade soil to that developed by a standard crushed-rock base material. The procedures for conducting a CBR test were as outlined in ASTM D 1883-73. The materials tested for CBR were also analyzed for particle size distribution (ASTM D 422-63) and compaction characteristics (ASTM D 1557-70). The term "percentage of maximum density" indicates the ratio (as a percentage) of the compacted sample

dry unit weight to maximum dry density obtained in the laboratory from ASTM D 1557-70, "Moisture-Density Relations of Soils Using 10-pound (4.5 kg) Hammer and 18-inch (457 mm) Drop."

NOTES:

(d) * Indicates that test has been performed and results are included in this report

ORG (b)	USCS (c)	IN-SITU					COMPACTED			SPECIFIC GRAVITY OF SOLIDS	TRIAxIAL (d)	UNCONFINED COMPRESSION	DIRECT SHEAR	CONSOLIDATION	CHEMICAL	CBR
		DRY UNIT WEIGHT		MOISTURE CONTENT (%)	SATURATION (%)	VOID RATIO	MAXIMUM DRY DENSITY		OPTIMUM MOISTURE (%)							
		(pcf)	(kg/m³)				(pcf)	(kg. m³)								
PI	SM	102.4	1640	8.2	34.2	0.65										
NP	SM			12.6						2.59						
	SP-SM	107.7	1725	8.2	45.7	0.45				2.50	*					
	GP-GM	118.7	1901	5.4	34.8	0.42					*					
17	SC	109.4	1752	8.8	44.0	0.54					*					
11	GW-GC	118.9	1905	10.7	69.3	0.42										
	SC	119.7	1917	8.5	56.3	0.41										
	SC	120.5	1930	7.8	52.9	0.40										
13	SC	118.1	1892	8.5	53.8	0.43					*					
	SC	117.6	1884	8.8	54.9	0.43					*					
	SW-SM	102.6	1643	14.6	61.4	0.64					*					
	SW-SM	98.3	1575	6.5	24.6	0.72										
	SM			22.6												
	SM	108.9	1744	13.3	65.6	0.55					*					
	SM	121.4	1945	10.3	71.7	0.39					*					
	SM	110.3	1767	12.7	65.0	0.53					*					
	SM	114.5	1834	11.9	68.4	0.47										
	SM	112.2	1797	14.4	77.5	0.50										
	GM															
	SM	76.5	1225	42.2	94.7	1.20										
NP	SM	77.0	1233	40.8	96.5	1.09				2.58		*				
	SM	85.6	1371	28.9	80.6	0.97										
	SM	76.2	1221	44.4	99.0	1.21										
17	SM	116.6	1868	10.6	64.6	0.44										
	SW-SM															
	SW-SM															
	SM			1.5												
	SM			2.9						2.54						*
	SM			3.4												
												</				

SUMMARY OF LABORATORY TEST RESULTS
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TABLE
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ACTIVITY NUMBER	SAMPLE NUMBER (a)	SAMPLE INTERVAL		PERCENT FINER BY WEIGHT										
				STANDARD SIEVE OPENING								U S STAM		SAND
				BLDRS	COBBLES		GRAVEL							
		FEET	METERS	24"	12"	6"	3"	1½"	3/4"	3/8"	4	10		
RV-B-4	b-1	5.0-6.0	1.52-1.83					100	54	28	17	12		
	b-2	13.0-14.0	3.96-4.27											
	b-3	21.0-22.0	6.40-6.71					100	67	45	31	20		
	b-4	29.0-30.0	8.84-9.14											
	b-6	55.0-56.0	16.76-17.07					100	72	39	26	15		
RV-B-5	b-1	0.0-3.0	0.00-0.91					100	96	85	73	62		
	SS-2	5.5-6.5	1.68-1.98							100	92	82		
	SS-4	10.5-11.5	3.20-3.51									100		
	P-3	15.0-15.8	4.57-4.82							100	98	89		
	P-3	15.8-16.1	4.82-4.91											
	P-4	20.0-20.8	6.10-6.34						100	96	87	71		
	P-4	20.8-21.1	6.34-6.43											
	P-5	25.0-25.8	7.62-7.86							100	95	90		
	P-5	25.8-26.1	7.86-7.96											
	P-6	30.0-31.4	9.14-9.57											
	P-7	40.0-40.8	12.19-12.44						100	95	82	71		
	P-8	50.0-50.8	15.24-15.48											
	P-9	60.0-60.8	18.29-18.53							100	99	96		
	P-10	70.0-71.4	21.34-21.76											
	P-11	80.0-80.7	24.38-24.60									100		
	P-12	100.0-100.7	30.48-30.69											
RV-B-6	b-1	0.5-1.0	0.15-0.30									100		
	P-1	5.0-5.7	1.52-1.74									100		
	P-2	10.0-10.7	3.05-3.26											
	P-3	15.7-16.3	4.79-4.97									100		
	P-4	20.0-20.7	6.10-6.31						100	91	82	69		
	P-4	20.7-22.0	6.31-6.71											
	P-5	25.0-25.7	7.62-7.83							100	98	94		
	P-6	30.0-30.8	9.14-9.39								100	99		
	P-7	40.0-40.8	12.19-12.44											
	P-8	50.1-50.9	15.27-15.51									100		
	P-9	60.1-60.9	18.32-18.56									100		
	P-10	70.1-70.8	21.37-21.58							100	99	98		
	P-12	80.1-80.8	24.41-24.63							100	98	94		
	P-13	90.1-90.8	27.46-27.68								100	97		
	P-14	100.1-100.8	30.51-30.72							100	98	91		
	P-15	121.0-121.7	36.88-37.09						100	97	85	72		
	P-16	149.1-149.8	45.45-45.66											
	P-17	176.1-176.9	53.68-53.92											
	P-17	176.1-176.9	53.68-53.92											
	P-17	178.0-178.6	54.25-54.44											

NOTES:

(a) Sample types

SS - Standard split spoon

P - Pitcher

D - Fugro Drive

B,b - Bulk

(b) NP - Not Plastic

(c) USCS - Unified Soil Classification System

(d) * Indicates that test has been performed
and results are included in this report

PERCENT FINER BY WEIGHT

PERCENT FINER BY WEIGHT									ATTERBERG LIMITS (b)			USCS (c)	IN-SITU					COMPACTED			
U S STANDARD SIEVE NO							PARTICLE SIZE (mm)						DRY UNIT WEIGHT		MOISTURE CONTENT (%)	SATURATION (%)	VOID RATIO	MAXIMUM DRY DENSITY		OPTIMUM MOISTURE (%)	
SAND				SILT OR CLAY									(pcf)	(kg/m ³)				(pcf)	(kg/m ³)		
4"	3.8"	4	10	40	100	200	.005	.001	LL	PL	PI										
4	28	17	12	6	2	1						GP			0.5						
												GP			1.0						
7	45	31	20	8	5	4						GW			1.1						
												GW			3.0						
2	39	26	15	7	5	4						GW			1.4						
6	85	73	62	49	29	18	8	2				SM			3.2						
	100	92	82	67	48	28	7	4			NP	SM									
			100	94	31	25						SM			2.2						
	100	98	89	67	41	22	8	4				SM	110.6	1772	13.1	67.6	0.52				
												SM									
10	96	87	71	34	11	6						SP-SM	100.8	1615	9.1	36.6	0.67				
												SP-SM									
	100	95	90	72	38	20						SM	101.1	1619	7.7	31.2	0.67				
												SM									
												SM	105.1	1684	17.8	79.7	0.60				
10	95	82	71	41	13	10						SW-SM	108.7	1741	12.4	60.9	0.55				
												SP-SM	96.0	1538	13.5	48.3	0.76				
	100	99	96	80	30	12						SP-SM	104.1	1668	10.2	44.5	0.62				
												SP-SM	99.4	1592	14.6	56.7	0.69				
			100	99	88	78	10	2				ML	96.3	1543	12.1	43.6	0.75				
												SM	91.6	1467	22.6	73.5	0.84				
			100	97	84	61	15	10			NP	ML									
			100	91	61	37	9	4				SM	87.0	1394	8.4	24.2	0.93				
												SM	103.0	1650	6.5	27.6	0.64				
			100	97	68	30						SM	97.4	1560	5.7	21.0	0.73				
10	91	82	69	29	7	4	2	1				SP	81.2	1301	23.3	58.5	1.07				
									36	25	11	SP	80.9	1296	27.9	69.5	1.08				
	100	98	94	76	54	38						SM	90.5	1450	20.9	65.4	0.86				
		100	99	89	47	18						SM	93.5	1498	11.5	41.1	0.72				
												SM	110.1	1764	13.8	70.3	0.53				
			100	97	85	48	4	1				SM	93.3	1495	12.1	40.5	0.81				
			100	99	89	56	11	7				ML	89.2	1429	15.4	49.1	0.81				
	100	99	98	90	75	43						SM	95.2	1525	8.3	29.1	0.77				
	100	98	94	66	30	13						SM	102.7	1645	16.7	70.0	0.64				
		100	97	82	70	43						SM	106.2	1701	15.8	72.7	0.57				
	100	98	91	67	33	14						SM	105.5	1690	14.4	65.0	0.59				
10	97	85	72	56	41	16	5	1				SM	97.6	1563	18.8	70.1	0.73				
												SM	96.6	1547	17.1	62.1	0.74				
									46	23	24	CL	94.4	1512	24.9	85.6	0.78				
												CL	89.3	1430	30.6	93.0	0.89				
						82						CL	82.5	1322	37.3	96.7	1.04				

BERG S (b)		USCS (c)	IN-SITU					COMPACTED			SPECIFIC GRAVITY OF SOLIDS	TRIAxIAL (d)	UNCONFINED COMPRESSION	DIRECT SHEAR	CONSOLIDATION	CHEMICAL	CBR
			DRY UNIT WEIGHT		MOISTURE CONTENT (%)	SATURATION (%)	VOID RATIO	MAXIMUM DRY DENSITY		OPTIMUM MOISTURE (%)							
			(pcf)	(kg/m ³)				(pcf)	(kg/m ³)								
		GP			0.5												
		GP			1.0												
		GW			1.1												
		GW			3.0												
		GW			1.4												
		SM			3.2												
	NP	SM									2.59						
		SM			2.2												
		SM	110.6	1772	13.1	67.6	0.52					*				*	
		SM												*			
		SP-SM	100.8	1615	9.1	36.6	0.67					*			*		
		SP-SM												*			
		SM	101.1	1619	7.7	31.2	0.67					*					
		SM												*			
		SM	105.1	1684	17.8	79.7	0.60										
		SW-SM	108.7	1741	12.4	60.9	0.55										
		SP-SM	96.0	1538	13.5	48.3	0.76										
		SP-SM	104.1	1668	10.2	44.5	0.62										
		SP-SM	99.4	1592	14.6	56.7	0.69										
		ML	96.3	1543	12.1	43.6	0.75										
		SM	91.6	1467	22.6	73.5	0.84										
	NP	ML									2.58						
		SM	87.0	1394	8.4	24.2	0.93							*			
		SM	103.0	1650	6.5	27.6	0.64							*			
		SM	97.4	1560	5.7	21.0	0.73							*			
		SP	81.2	1301	23.3	58.5	1.07						*			*	
	11	SP	80.9	1296	27.9	69.5	1.08								*		
		SM	90.5	1450	20.9	65.4	0.86										
		SM	93.5	1498	11.5	41.1	0.72				2.58						
		SM	110.1	1764	13.8	70.3	0.53										
		SM	93.3	1495	12.1	40.5	0.81					*					
		ML	89.2	1429	15.4	49.1	0.81				2.59						
		SM	95.2	1525	8.3	29.1	0.77					*					
		SM	102.7	1645	16.7	70.0	0.64										
		SM	106.2	1701	15.8	72.7	0.57					*					
		SM	105.5	1690	14.4	65.0	0.59										
		SM	97.6	1563	18.8	70.1	0.73										
		SM	96.6	1547	17.1	62.1	0.74										
	24	CL	94.4	1512	24.9	85.6	0.78										
		CL	89.3	1430	30.6	93.0	0.89						*				
		CL	82.5	1322	37.3	96.7	1.04						*				

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U S STANDARD SIEVE NO						PARTICLE SIZE (mm)						DRY UNIT WEIGHT		MOISTURE CONTENT (%)	SATURATION (%)	VOID RATIO	MAXIMUM DRY DENSITY		OPTIMUM MOISTURE (%)	
3/8"	4	10	40	100	200	.005	.001	LL	PL	PI		(pcf)	(kg/m³)				(pcf)	(kg/m³)		
								66	37	29	MH	74.4	1192	44.3	98.8	1.15				2.
											MH	75.7	1213	41.5	91.4	1.23				
100	95	81	40	15	7						SP-SM	110.2	1765	16.3	83.8	0.53				
		100	92	70	40	13	7	38	22	16	SC	88.8	1422	28.8	86.8	0.90				
											SC	87.6	1403	32.3	94.5	0.92				
								55	34	22	MH	80.4	1288	36.9	91.0	1.10				
								61	31	30	MH	71.7	1149	46.1	92.3	1.35				
100	96	90	49	15	10						SW-SM	102.1	1635	6.2	25.7	0.65				
											SM			2.2						
96	89	77	57	36	23						SM			19.9						
					64			27	23	5	ML	96.8	1551	20.1	73.3	0.74				
											ML	96.4	1544	20.7	74.7	0.75				
99	97	89	57	33	25					NP	SM	102.8	1647	16.6	70.2	0.64				
		100	93	75	52	21	11			NP	ML	110.0	1762	13.8	82.5	0.42				2.
											ML	107.4	1721	15.5	85.5	0.45				
											SP-SM	103.0	1650	18.8	79.8	0.64				
77	59	43	27	11	9						SP-SM	115.4	1849	7.0	41.1	0.46				
											SP-SM	112.7	1805	16.0	87.3	0.49				
	100	98	87	69	50					NP	ML	98.3	1575	19.8	74.9	0.71				
										NP	ML	83.6	1334	24.2	64.5	1.01				
92	83	67	22	5	3						SP	110.7	1773	14.8	76.6	0.52				
		100	98	92	86	37	15				CL	92.6	1483	20.0	65.9	0.82				

BERG S (b)		USCS (c)	IN-SITU					COMPACTED			SPECIFIC GRAVITY OF SOLIDS	TRIAxIAL (d)	UNCONFINED COMPRESSION	DIRECT SHEAR	CONSOLIDATION	CHEMICAL	CBR
			DRY UNIT WEIGHT		MOISTURE CONTENT (%)	SATURATION (%)	VOID RATIO	MAXIMUM DRY DENSITY		OPTIMUM MOISTURE (%)							
			(pcf)	(kg/m ³)				(pcf)	(kg m ³)								
7	29	MH	74.4	1192	44.3	98.8	1.15				2.56		*				
		MH	75.7	1213	41.5	91.4	1.23										
		SP-SM	110.2	1765	16.3	83.8	0.53										
2	16	SC	88.8	1422	28.8	86.8	0.90						*				
		SC	87.6	1403	32.3	94.5	0.92										
4	22	MH	80.4	1288	36.9	91.0	1.10						*				
1	30	MH	71.7	1149	46.1	92.3	1.35						*				
		SW-SM	102.1	1635	6.2	25.7	0.65							*			
		SM			2.2												
		SM			19.9												
3	5	ML	96.8	1551	20.1	73.3	0.74						*				
		ML	96.4	1544	20.7	74.7	0.75								*		
	NP	SM	102.8	1647	16.6	70.2	0.64										
	NP	ML	110.0	1762	13.8	82.5	0.42				2.50		*				
		ML	107.4	1721	15.5	85.5	0.45								*		
		SP-SM	103.0	1650	18.8	79.8	0.64										
		SP-SM	115.4	1849	7.0	41.1	0.46										
		SP-SM	112.7	1805	16.0	87.3	0.49										
	NP	ML	98.3	1575	19.8	74.9	0.71										
	NP	ML	83.6	1339	24.2	64.5	1.01						*				
		SP	110.7	1773	14.8	76.6	0.52										
		CL	92.6	1483	20.0	65.9	0.82										

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R BY WEIGHT							ATTERBERG LIMITS (b)			USCS (c)	IN-SITU					COMPACTED			SPECIFIC GRAVITY OF SOLIDS
U S STANDARD SIEVE NO				PARTICLE SIZE (mm)							DRY UNIT WEIGHT		MOISTURE CONTENT (%)	SATURATION (%)	VOID RATIO	MAXIMUM DRY DENSITY		OPTIMUM MOISTURE (%)	
SAND				SILT OR CLAY			(pcf)	(kg/m ³)	(pcf)		(kg/m ³)								
4	10	40	100	200	.005	.001	LL	PL	PI										
67	51	22	9	8						SP-SM	107.5	1722	3.8	18.1	0.57				
										SP-SM	100.4	1608	12.6	50.2	0.68				
69	55	30	15	12						SW-SM	115.8	1855	7.8	46.3	0.45				
89	76	43	22	18						SC	116.9	1873	7.4	53.4	0.35			2.53	
89	72	30	17	15	8	6	35	15	20	SC	114.6	1837	8.9	59.6	0.38				
77	66	41	20	15	5	2	34	21	13	SC	114.7	1837	8.9	59.7	0.38				
77	68	52	24	18						SC	113.6	1820	10.2	57.0	0.48				
53	41	20	9	7	2	1				GW-GM	121.4	1945	9.4	65.4	0.39				
										SW-SM	113.0	1810	13.3	73.1	0.49				
54	42	19	9	7	2	1				SW-SM	114.5	1834	8.2	47.0	0.47				
										SW-SM	116.3	1863	8.3	49.9	0.45				
										SW-SM	113.9	1825	9.6	54.1	0.48				
63	44	22	12	9						SW-SM	115.5	1850	9.5	55.9	0.46				
99	96	85	40	20						SM	107.0	1714	8.4	39.5	0.57				
	100	93	76	55	12	4	26	22	4	ML	107.2	1717	9.6	45.3	0.57				
										SP	117.8	1887	7.6	47.7	0.43				
	100	97	79	63						ML									
99	95	75	46	22	8	3				SM	114.6	1836	10.6	60.9	0.47				
97	93	82	66	45	10	4			NP	SM	114.2	1829	12.0	68.2	0.48				
	100	65	35	28	8	3				SM	115.1	1844	10.0	58.2	0.46				
85	74	55	35	23	4	0				SM									
										SM									
				7			25	16	9	SP-SC	101.0	1618	17.8	71.9	0.67				
	100	99	94	87						CL									
91	74	40	16	8	3	1				SP-SM	103.6	1660	11.5	49.5	0.63				
99	97	88	64	53	17	9				CL	92.3	1479	22.3	73.0	0.83				
85	73	47	11	6	1	0				SP-SM	106.5	1706	20.6	95.6	0.58				
75	63	25	9	6						SP-SM									
81	59	35	21	12	3	2				SM			1.7						
										SC			8.0						
70	49	21	10	6						SP-SM			1.3						
89	81	55	29	17	2	1				SM			1.6						

TERBERG BITS (b)		USCS (c)	IN-SITU					COMPACTED			SPECIFIC GRAVITY OF SOLIDS	TRIAxIAL (d)	UNCONFINED COMPRESSION	DIRECT SHEAR	CONSOLIDATION	CHEMICAL	CBR
			DRY UNIT WEIGHT		MOISTURE CONTENT (%)	SATURATION (%)	VOID RATIO	MAXIMUM DRY DENSITY		OPTIMUM MOISTURE (%)							
			(pcf)	(kg/m ³)				(pcf)	(kg. m ³)								
		SP-SM	107.5	1722	3.8	18.1	0.57										
		SP-SM	100.4	1608	12.6	50.2	0.68					*					
		SW-SM	115.8	1855	7.8	46.3	0.45					*					
		SC	116.9	1873	7.4	53.4	0.35				2.53	*					
15	20	SC	114.6	1837	8.9	59.6	0.38								*		
21	13	SC	114.7	1837	8.9	59.7	0.38								*		
		SC	113.6	1820	10.2	57.0	0.48										
		GW-GM	121.4	1945	9.4	65.4	0.39										
		SW-SM	113.0	1810	13.3	73.1	0.49										
		SW-SM	114.5	1834	8.2	47.0	0.47										
		SW-SM	116.3	1863	8.3	49.9	0.45										
		SW-SM	113.9	1825	9.6	54.1	0.48										
		SW-SM	115.5	1850	9.5	55.9	0.46										
		SM	107.0	1714	8.4	39.5	0.57										
22	4	ML	107.2	1717	9.6	45.3	0.57										
		SP	117.8	1887	7.6	47.7	0.43										
		ML															
		SM	114.6	1836	10.6	60.9	0.47										
	NP	SM	114.2	1829	12.0	68.2	0.48					*					
		SM	115.1	1844	10.0	58.2	0.46										
		SM															
		SM														*	
16	9	SP-SC	101.0	1618	17.8	71.9	0.67										
		CL															
		SP-SM	103.6	1660	11.5	49.5	0.63								*		
		CL	92.3	1479	22.3	73.0	0.83										
		SP-SM	106.5	1706	20.6	95.6	0.58										
		SP-SM															
		SM			1.7												
		SC			8.0												
		SP-SM			1.3												
		SM			1.6												

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			DRY UNIT WEIGHT		MOISTURE CONTENT (%)	SATURATION (%)	VOID RATIO	MAXIMUM DRY DENSITY		OPTIMUM MOISTURE (%)							
			(pcf)	(kg/m³)				(pcf)	(kg/m³)								
		SM															
		SM	106.2	1701	10.0	46.0	0.59										
		GP-GM	112.1	1796	11.6	62.3	0.50					*					
		SW-SM	116.4	1865	5.4	32.6	0.45					*					
		SM	111.5	1786	9.7	51.2	0.51					*					
		SM	84.3	1350	21.3	57.6	1.00							*	*		
		SM	88.1	1411	14.6	43.2	0.91										
		SM	90.1	1443	15.1	49.0	0.80				2.60			*			
		SM	91.1	1459	19.7	62.5	0.85										
		SM	81.5	1306	16.7	42.2	1.07										
		SM	86.3	1382	16.8	47.6	0.95										
		SM	92.4	1480	22.4	73.5	0.82										
		SW-SM															
		ML			15.2												
		GP-GM	108.3	1735	15.7	76.3	0.56										
		GP-GM	119.1	1908	9.2	59.9	0.41										
	NP	ML	85.2	1365	19.6	56.8	0.89				2.58			*			
		SC	115.4	1849	11.7	68.7	0.46										
		GW-GC	122.1	1956	9.0	64.0	0.38										
		SC	115.5	1850	11.7	68.9	0.46										
		SC	118.2	1893	9.6	60.9	0.43										
		SC	122.5	1962	9.3	66.9	0.38										
		SC	114.8	1839	14.9	86.0	0.47										
		SC	117.3	1879	12.3	76.1	0.44										
		GP-GC	122.9	1969	10.3	75.0	0.37										
		GP-GC	120.9	1937	11.2	76.8	0.39										
		GP-GC	116.6	1868	11.8	71.6	0.44										
		SM	109.6	1756	17.1	85.9	0.54										
	NP	SW-SM	107.8	1727	14.5	69.6	0.56										
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- (a) Sample types
 SS - Standard split spoon
 P - Pitcher
 D - Fugro Drive
 B,b - Bulk
- (b) NP - Not Plastic
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ACTIVITY NUMBER	SAMPLE NUMBER (a)	SAMPLE INTERVAL		PERCENT FINER BY WEIGHT									
				STANDARD SIEVE OPENING							U S STANDARD		
				BLORS.	COBBLES		GRAVEL				SAND		
		FEET	METERS	24"	12"	6"	3"	1½"	3/4"	3/8"	4	10	20
RV-T-1	B-1	0.0-1.5	0.00-0.46									100	9
	B-2	5.0-6.5	1.52-1.98										
	B-3	11.5-13.0	3.51-3.96							100	99	95	7
	B-4	14.5-16.0	4.42-4.88							100	98	92	7
	B-5	17.0-18.0	5.18-5.49								100	98	9
RV-T-2	B-1	0.0-0.5	0.00-0.46							100	99	97	6
	B-2	2.0-3.0	0.61-0.91							100	99	91	6
	B-3	4.5-5.5	1.37-1.68										
	B-4	7.0-8.0	2.13-2.44										
	B-5	10.5-11.5	3.20-3.51										
	B-6	13.5-14.5	4.11-4.42								100	99	9
	B-7	16.5-18.0	5.03-5.49							100	98	92	7
RV-T-3	B-2	2.5-4.5	0.76-1.37					100	98	82	66	50	1
	B-4	13.5-15.0	4.11-4.57										
	B-5	17.0-18.0	5.18-5.49					100	91	97	59	41	1
RV-T-4	B-1	0.0-1.0	0.00-0.30										
	B-2	2.5-5.0	0.76-1.52					100	98	80	64	47	1
	B-4	11.5-13.0	3.51-3.96						100	95	87	73	3
RV-T-5	B-1	0.0-1.0	0.00-0.30										
	B-2	5.0-6.0	1.52-1.83					100	94	79	62	46	2
	B-3	11.0-12.5	3.35-3.81										
	B-4	14.5-15.5	4.42-4.72					100	95	87	70	50	2
RV-T-6	B-2	1.5-3.5	0.46-1.07					100	77	64	52	37	1
	B-3	10.0-13.5	3.05-4.11					100	91	70	55	40	1
	B-4	17.0-18.0	5.18-5.49										
RV-T-7	B-1	0.0-0.5	0.00-0.15										
	B-2	4.5-6.0	1.37-1.83										
	B-3	10.0-11.5	3.05-3.51					100	98	88	71	49	2
	B-5	17.0-18.0	5.18-5.49					100	98	87	72	53	3
RV-T-8	B-3	2.5-5.0	0.76-1.52					100	93	77	63	49	1
	B-4	9.0-10.5	2.74-3.20					100	97	93	89	84	7
	B-6	17.0-18.0	5.18-5.49					100	76	63	53	41	1

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			DRY UNIT WEIGHT		MOISTURE CONTENT (%)	SATURATION (%)	VOID RATIO	MAXIMUM DRY DENSITY		OPTIMUM MOISTURE (%)							
			(pcf)	(kg/m³)				(pcf)	(kg. m³)								
		ML			8.3											*	
	NP	ML															
		SM			5.0						2.53						
		SM			7.6												
		SM			5.3												
18	3	ML			8.9			112.0	1794	15.0						*	
	NP	SM			5.1						2.58						*
		SM			5.7												
		SM			6.2												
		SM			2.3												
		SM			3.1			95.3	1527	10.3							*
		SM			7.9												*
		SP			2.1											*	*
		SW-SM			1.9												
		SW-SM															
16	3	ML			9.8												
		SP			4.2												*
		SP-SM			3.0												
		SP-SM			6.6												
		SP-SM			4.2			118.0	1890	11.5						*	
		SW-SM															
		SW-SM			5.0												*
		SP			1.1			124.5	1994	7.0							
		SP-SM			3.0												
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18	1	ML			10.9												
		ML			4.9												
		SW-SM			4.2												*
		SM			3.6												
		SP			1.5												
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SUMMARY OF LABORATORY TEST RESULTS
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BORING NO.	SAMPLE NO.	SAMPLE INTERVAL		SOIL TYPE	TYPE OF TEST	DRY DENSITY		MOISTURE CONTENT (%)	CONFINING PRESSURE (σ ₃)		MAXIMUM DEVIATOR STRESS (σ ₁ -σ ₃)		STRAIN RATE		BACK PRESSURE	
		FEET	METERS			pcf	kg/m ³		ksf	kN/m ²	ksf	kN/m ²	(% min)		ksf	kN/m ²
RV-B-1	D-3	15.5-16.0	4.72-4.88	SP-SM	CD	107.7	1725	8.2	1.7	81	14.5	694	.07		0	0
	D-4	20.5-21.0	6.25-6.40	GP-SM	CD	118.7	1901	5.4	4.0	192	25.7	1230	.07		0	0
	D-5	25.0-26.0	7.62-7.92	SC	CD	109.4	1752	8.8	8.9	426	36.5	1747	.07		0	0
	D-8	50.5-51.0	15.39-15.54	SC	CD	118.1	1892	8.5	5.5	263	27.1	1297	.08		0	0
	D-9	61.2-61.7	18.65-18.81	SC	CD	117.6	1884	8.8	12.4	594	64.4	3083	.09		0	0
	D-10	70.3-70.8	21.43-21.58	SW-SM	CD	102.6	1643	14.6	26.9	1288	110.6	5295	.07		0	0
	D-13	90.2-91.9	27.49-28.01	SM	CD	108.9	1744	13.3	9.9	474	45.1	2159	.07		0	0
	D-14	100.2-100.7	30.54-30.69	SM	CD	121.4	1945	10.3	20.2	967	23.5	1125	.07		0	0
	D-15	128.2-128.7	39.08-39.23	SM	CD	110.3	1767	12.7	44.6	2135	161.2	7717	.07		0	0
RV-B-5	P-3	15.0-15.8	4.57-4.82	SM	CD	110.6	1772	13.1	1.7	81	13.1	627	.07		0	0
	P-4	20.0-20.8	6.10-6.34	SP-SM	CD	100.8	1615	9.1	3.9	182	14.5	694	.07		0	0
	P-5	25.0-25.8	7.62-7.86	SM	CD	101.1	1619	7.7	8.6	412	30.0	1436	.07		0	0
RV-B-6	P-8	50.1-50.9	15.27-15.51	SM	CD	93.3	1495	12.1	5.5	263	32.0	1532	.07		0	0
	P-10	70.1-70.8	21.37-21.58	SM	CD	95.2	1525	8.3	12.7	608	54.9	2628	.07		0	0
	P-13	80.1-80.8	27.46-27.68	SM	CD	106.2	1701	15.8	31.0	1484	121.2	5803	.07		0	0
RV-B-8	D-2	10.7-11.2	3.26-3.41	SP-SM	CD	100.4	1608	12.6	1.2	57	7.7	369	.08		0	0
	D-3	15.3-15.8	4.66-4.82	SW-SM	CD	115.8	1855	7.8	3.3	158	18.1	867	.07		0	0
	D-4	20.4-20.9	6.22-6.37	SC	CD	118.9	1873	7.4	8.8	421	45.5	2178	.07		0	0
RV-B-12	D-2	10.2-10.9	3.11-3.32	GP-SM	CD	112.1	1796	11.6	1.2	57	8.7	417	.07		0	0
	D-3	15.4-15.9	4.69-4.85	SW-SM	CD	118.4	1865	5.4	2.8	139	21.5	1029	.07		0	0
	D-4	20.3-20.8	6.19-6.34	SM	CD	111.5	1786	9.7	5.8	278	26.9	1288	.07		0	0

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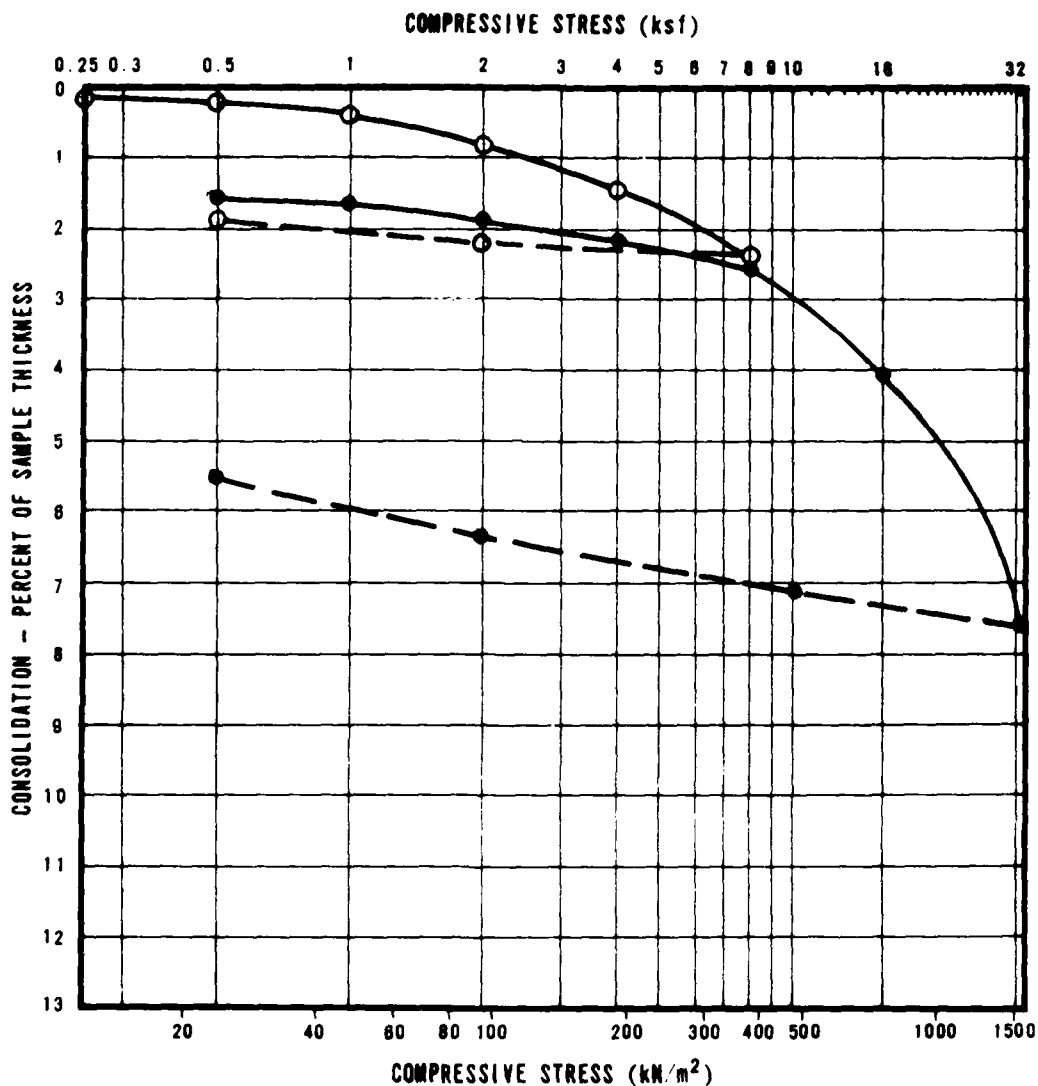
SUMMARY OF UNCONFINED COMPRESSION TEST RESULTS RALSTON VALLEY, NEVADA

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TABLE

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FURRO NATIONAL, INC.



SYMBOL	BORING NO.	SAMPLE NO.	SAMPLE INTERVAL		SOIL TYPE	INITIAL DRY DENSITY		INITIAL MOISTURE CONTENT (%)	INITIAL VOID RATIO	INITIAL DEGREE OF SATURATION (%)
			FEET	METERS		pcf	kg/m³			
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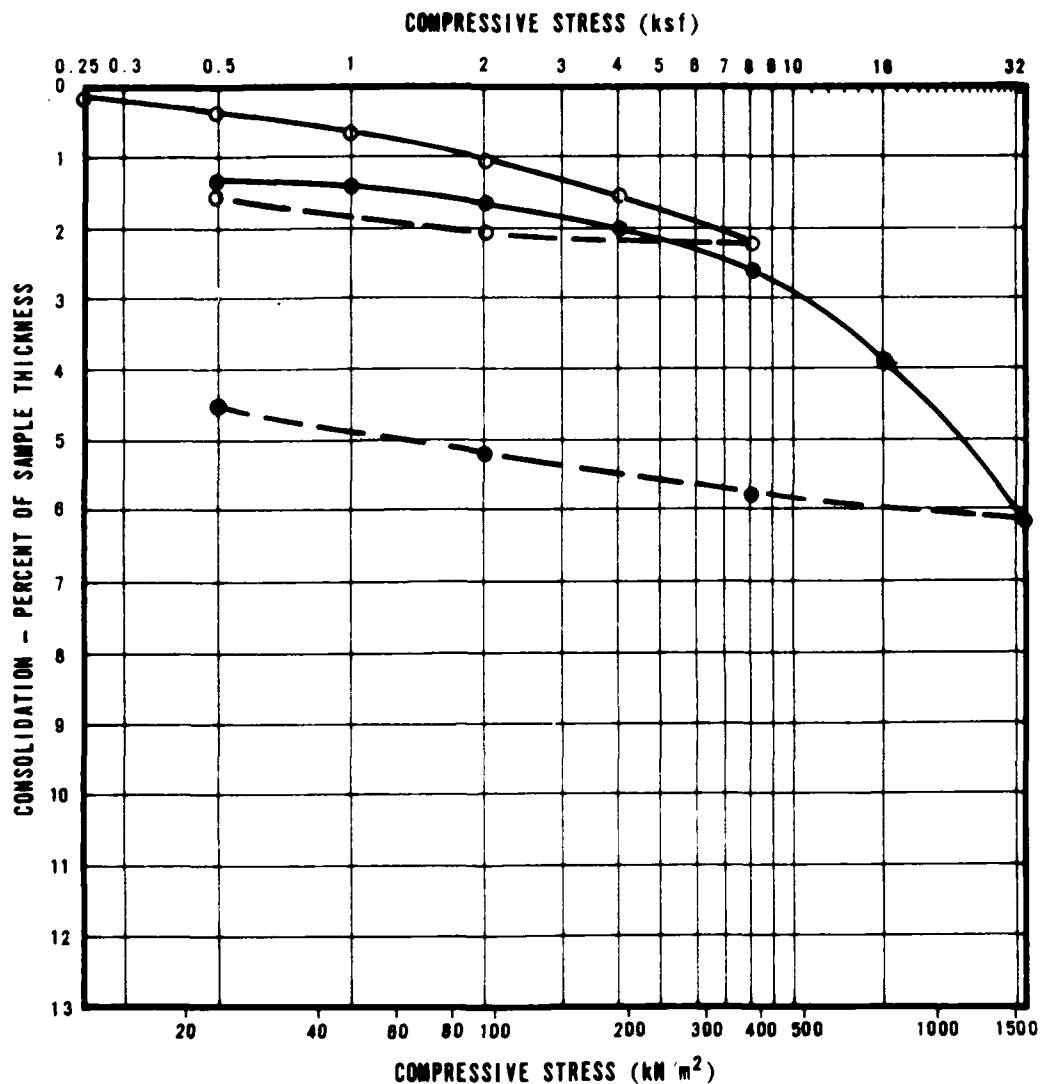
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— COMPRESSION
- - - REBOUND

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RALSTON VALLEY, NEVADA

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FIGURE
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TURNER NATIONAL, INC.



SYMBOL	BORING NO.	SAMPLE NO.	SAMPLE INTERVAL		SOIL TYPE	INITIAL DRY DENSITY		INITIAL MOISTURE CONTENT (%)	INITIAL VOID RATIO	INITIAL DEGREE OF SATURATION (%)
			FEET	METERS		pcf	kg/m³			
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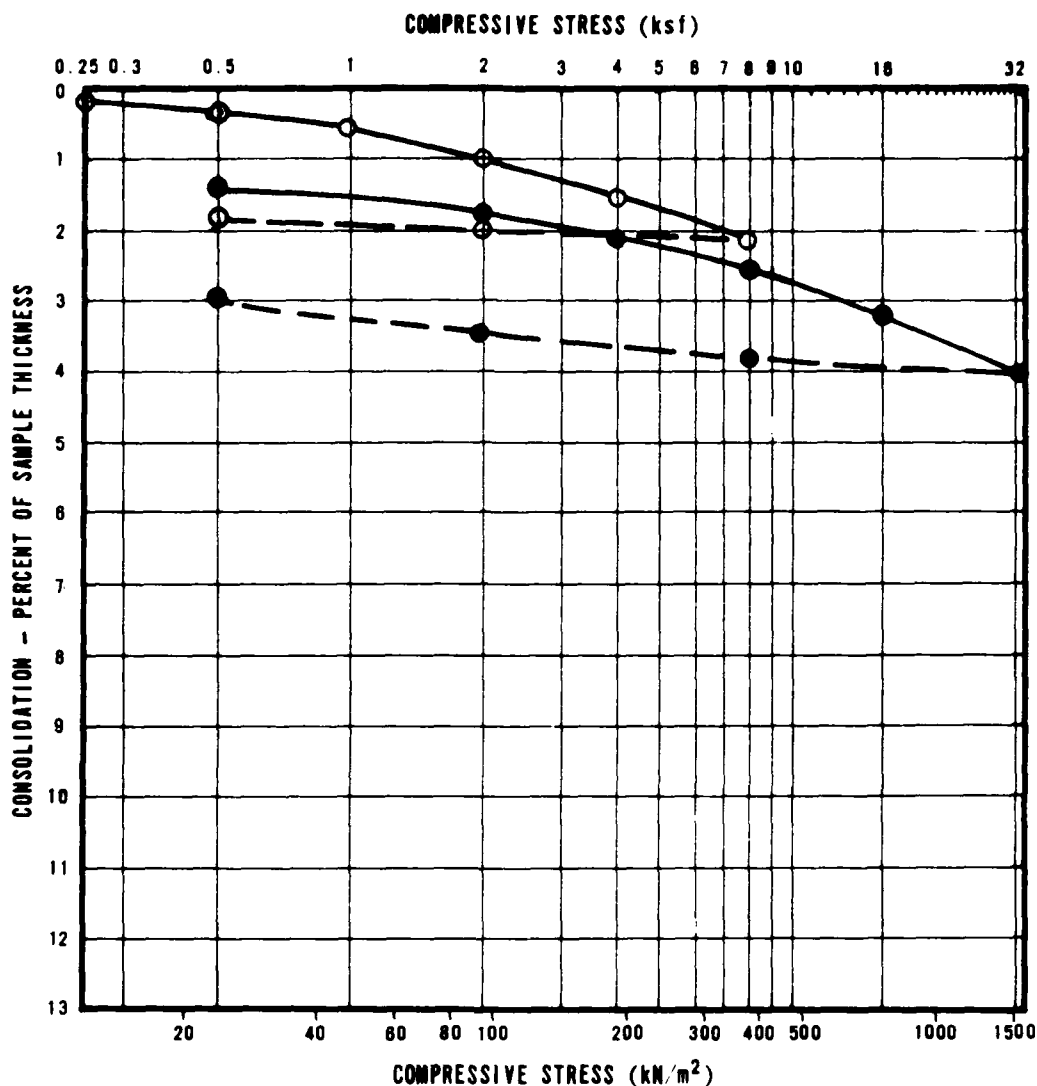
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- COMPRESSION
- - - REBOUND

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FIGURE
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FLUOR NATIONAL INC.



SYMBOL	BORING NO.	SAMPLE NO.	SAMPLE INTERVAL		SOIL TYPE	INITIAL DRY DENSITY		INITIAL MOISTURE CONTENT (%)	INITIAL VOID RATIO	INITIAL DEGREE OF SATURATION (%)
			FEET	METERS		pcf	kg/m ³			
○	RV-B-7	P-8	30.0-30.8	9.14-9.39	ML	107.4	1721	15.5	0.45	85.5

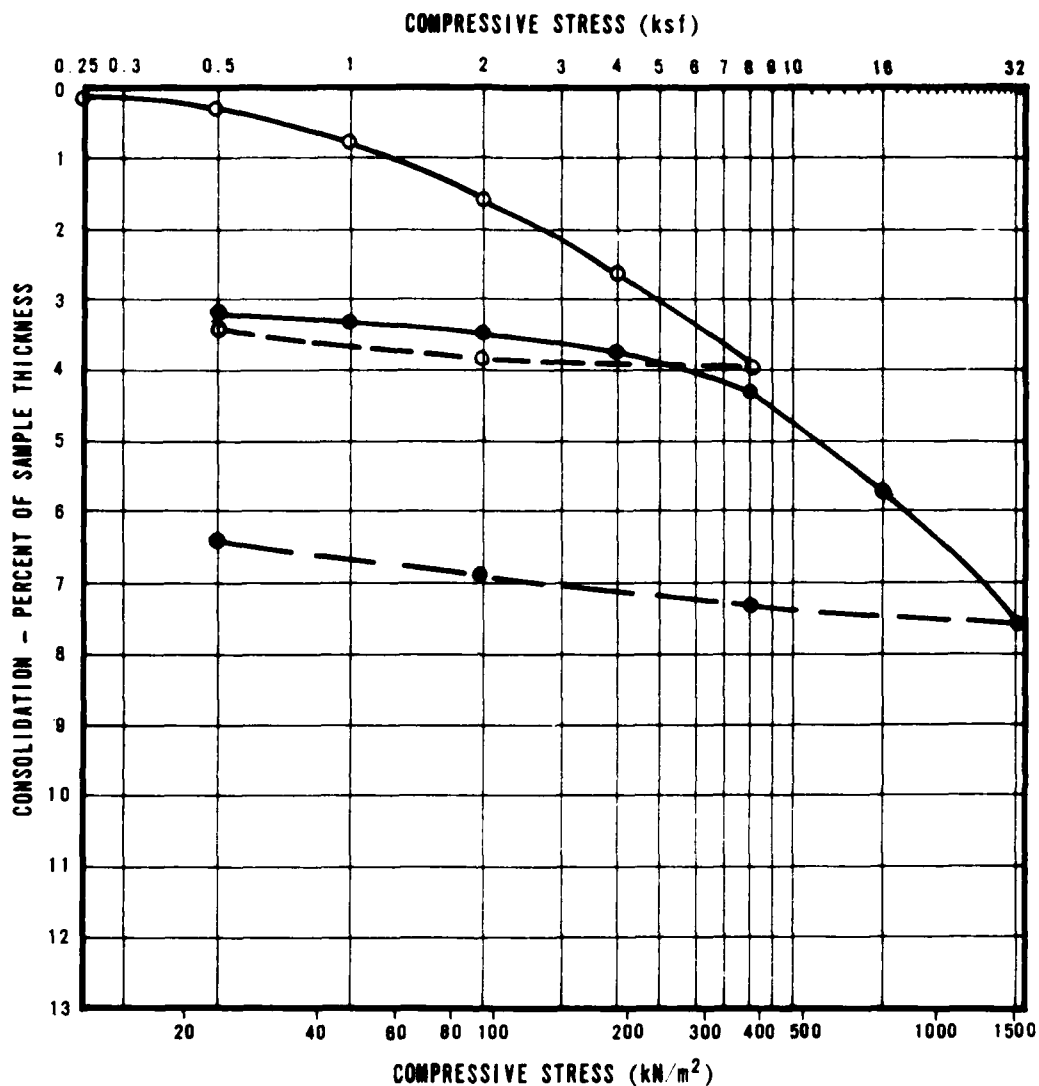
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RALSTON VALLEY, NEVADA

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FIGURE
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WERNER NATIONAL, INC.



SYMBOL	BORING NO.	SAMPLE NO.	SAMPLE INTERVAL		SOIL TYPE	INITIAL DRY DENSITY		INITIAL MOISTURE CONTENT (%)	INITIAL VOID RATIO	INITIAL DEGREE OF SATURATION (%)
			FEET	METERS		pcf	kg/m³			
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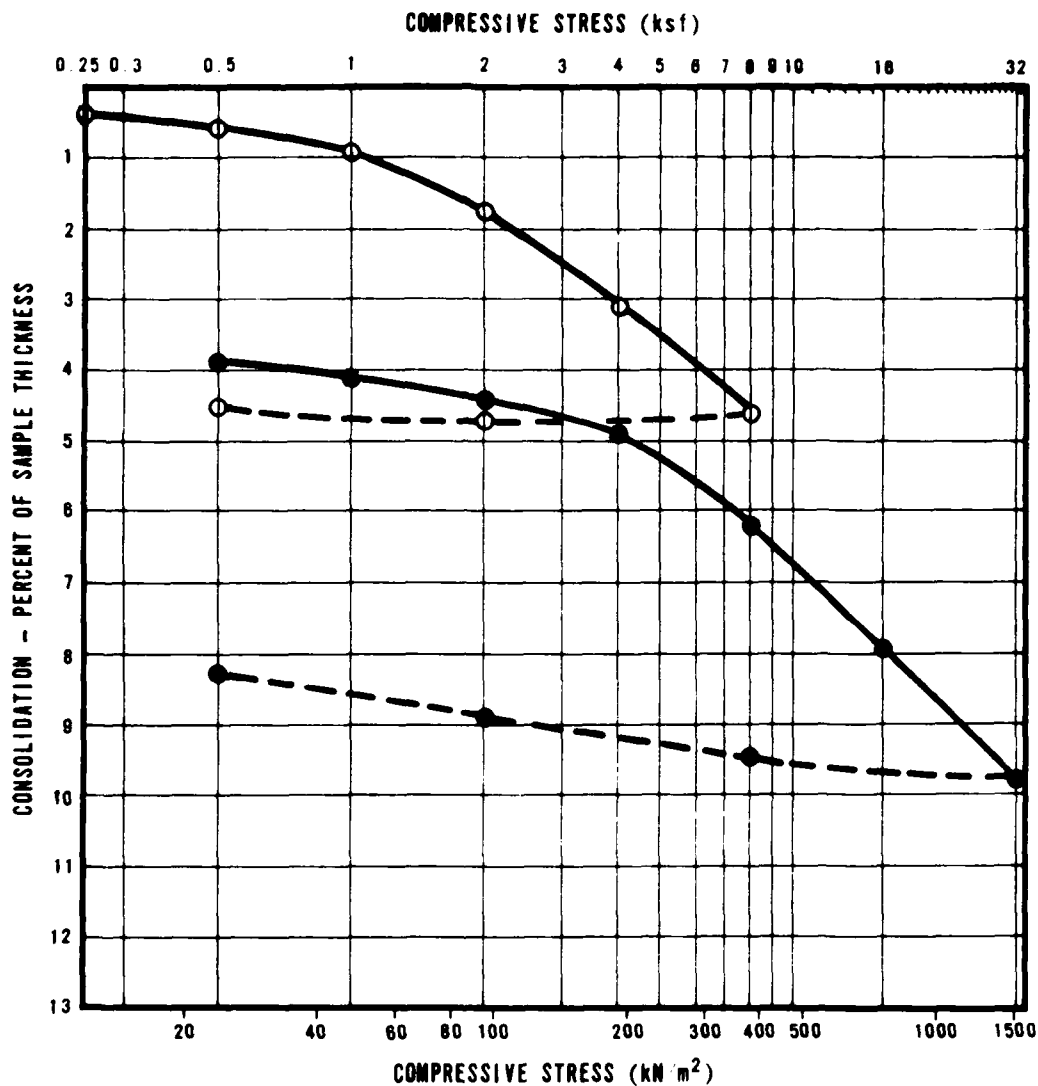
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RALSTON VALLEY, NEVADA

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FIGURE
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VERS NATIONAL INC.



SYMBOL	BORING NO.	SAMPLE NO.	SAMPLE INTERVAL		SOIL TYPE	INITIAL DRY DENSITY		INITIAL MOISTURE CONTENT (%)	INITIAL VOID RATIO	INITIAL DEGREE OF SATURATION (%)
			FEET	METERS		pcf	kg/m³			
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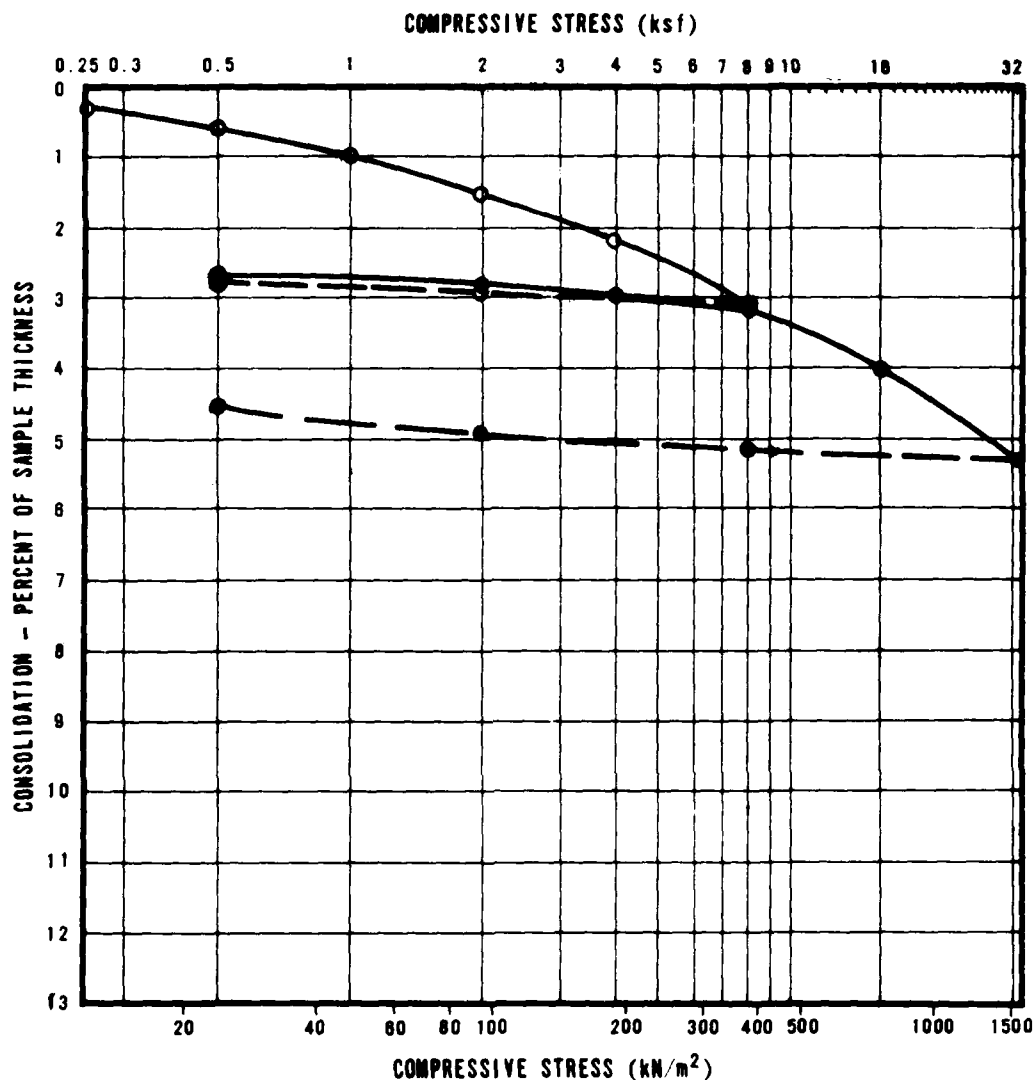
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- COMPRESSION
- - - REBOUND

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RALSTON VALLEY, NEVADA

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FIGURE
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GUARD NATIONAL INC.



SYMBOL	BORING NO.	SAMPLE NO.	SAMPLE INTERVAL		SOIL TYPE	INITIAL DRY DENSITY		INITIAL MOISTURE CONTENT (%)	INITIAL VOID RATIO	INITIAL DEGREE OF SATURATION (%)
			FEET	METERS		pcf	kg/m³			
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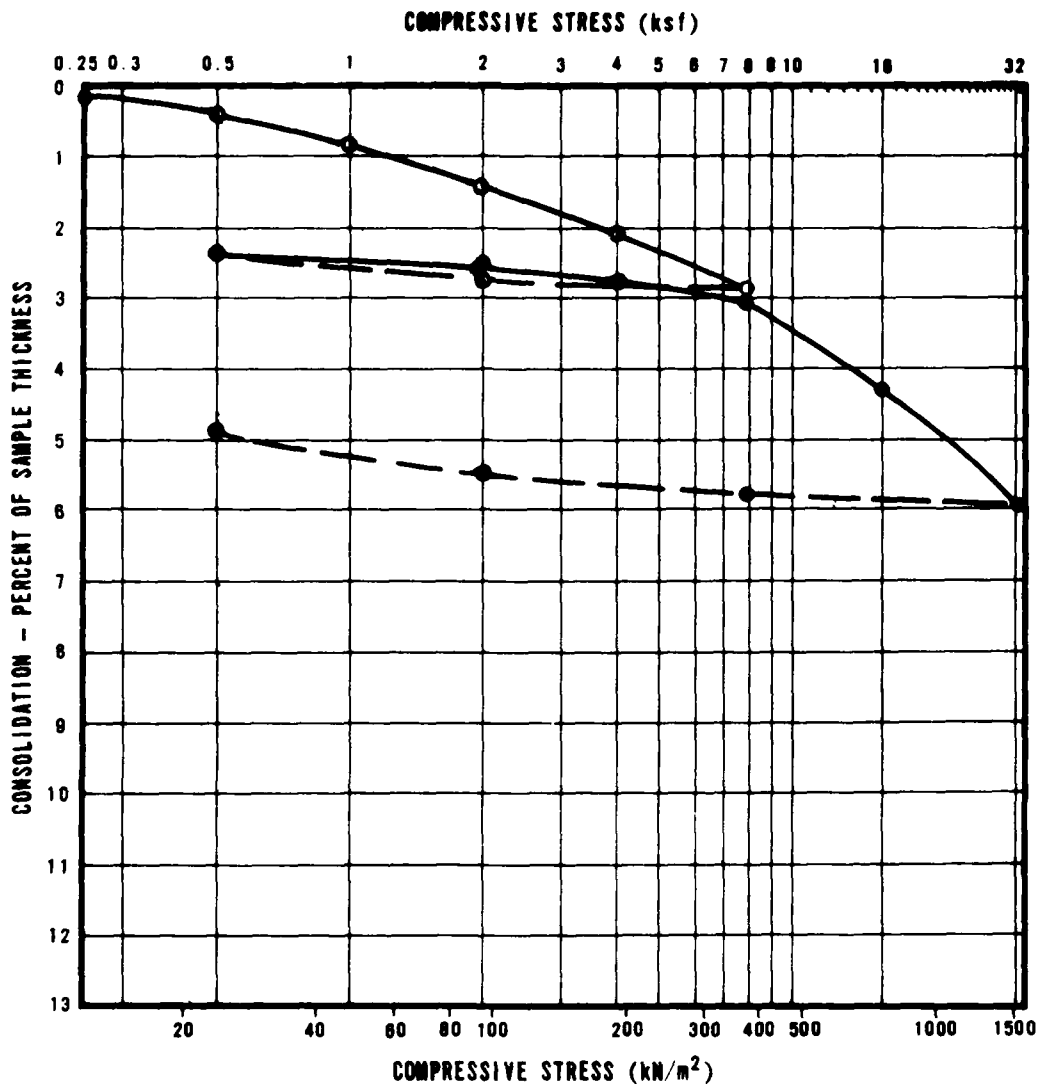
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FIGURE
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FLUOR NATIONAL INC.



SYMBOL	BORING NO.	SAMPLE NO.	SAMPLE INTERVAL		SOIL TYPE	INITIAL DRY DENSITY		INITIAL MOISTURE CONTENT (%)	INITIAL VOID RATIO	INITIAL DEGREE OF SATURATION (%)
			FEET	METERS		pcf	kg/m³			
○	RV-8-12	P-8	30.0-30.7	9.14-9.36	SM	84.3	1350	21.3	1.00	57.6

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- AFTER ADDITION OF WATER
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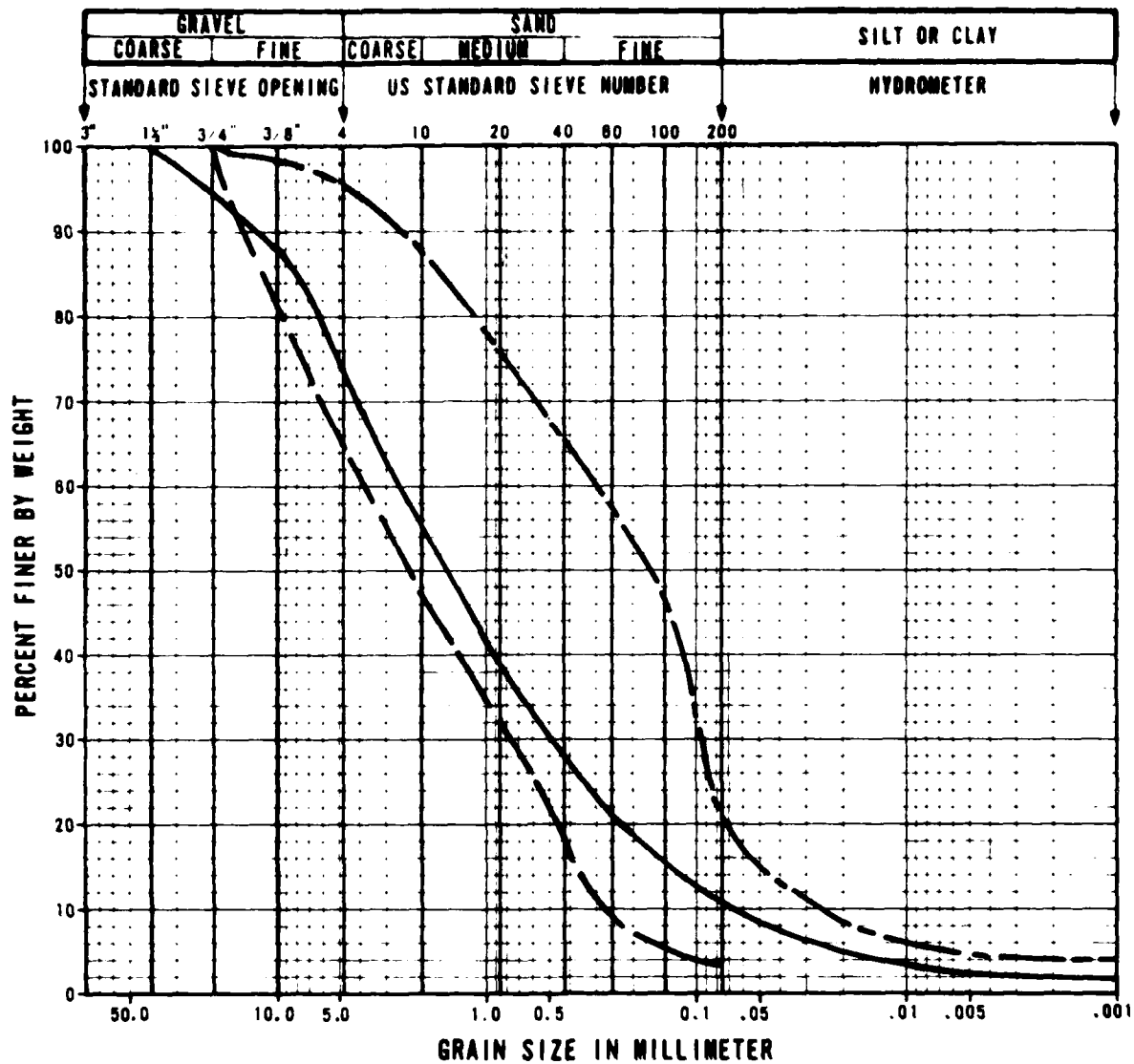
SUMMARY OF CHEMICAL TEST RESULTS

RALSTON VALLEY, NEVADA

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TABLE
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FUGRO NATIONAL INC.



SYMBOL	COMPOSITE SAMPLE NUMBER	TRENCH NUMBER	SAMPLE INTERVAL		SOIL TYPE
			FEET	METERS	
—	A	RV-T-5	14.5-15.5	4.42-4.72	SW-SM
—		RV-T-7	10.0-11.5	3.05-3.51	
- - -	B	RV-T-3	2.5-4.5	0.76-1.37	SP
- - -		RV-T-4	2.5-5.0	0.76-1.52	
- - -	C	RV-T-2	2.0-3.0	0.61-0.91	SM
- - -		RV-T-2	16.5-18.0	5.03-5.49	

GRAIN SIZE CURVES, CBR TESTS
RALSTON VALLEY, NEVADA

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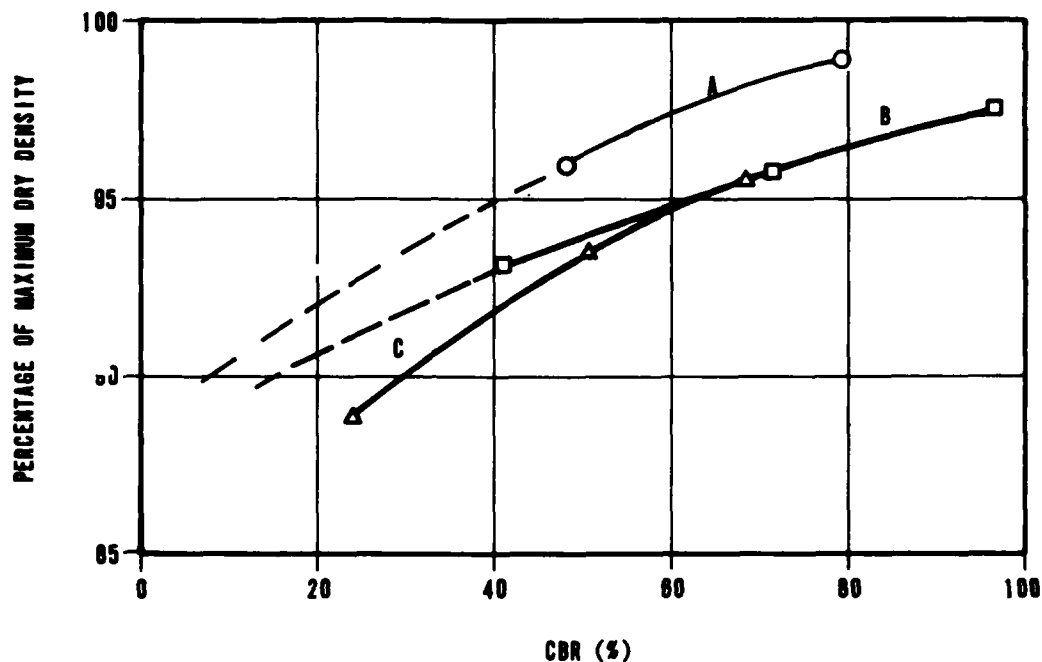
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			LL	PI		pcf	kg/m ³		pcf	kg/m ³			
A	SW-SH	11				122.1	1958	9.8	120.6	1932	9.4	98.8	79
									117.0	1874	9.7	95.8	48
									113.2	1813	9.5	92.7	18
B	SP	3			2.60	121.0	1938	10.0	118.1	1892	9.7	97.6	97
									115.9	1857	9.7	95.8	72
									112.8	1807	9.7	93.2	41
C	SH	21				118.0	1890	11.5	112.7	1805	11.9	95.5	68
									110.4	1768	11.6	93.6	51
									105.0	1682	12.1	89.0	24

CALIFORNIA BEARING RATIO (CBR) TEST RESULTS
RALSTON VALLEY, NEVADA

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WERO NATIONAL INC.



SYMBOL	COMPOSITE SAMPLE NUMBER	SOIL TYPE
○	A	SW-SM
□	B	SP
△	C	SN

CALIFORNIA BEARING RATIO (CBR) CURVES
RALSTON VALLEY, NEVADA

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FIGURE

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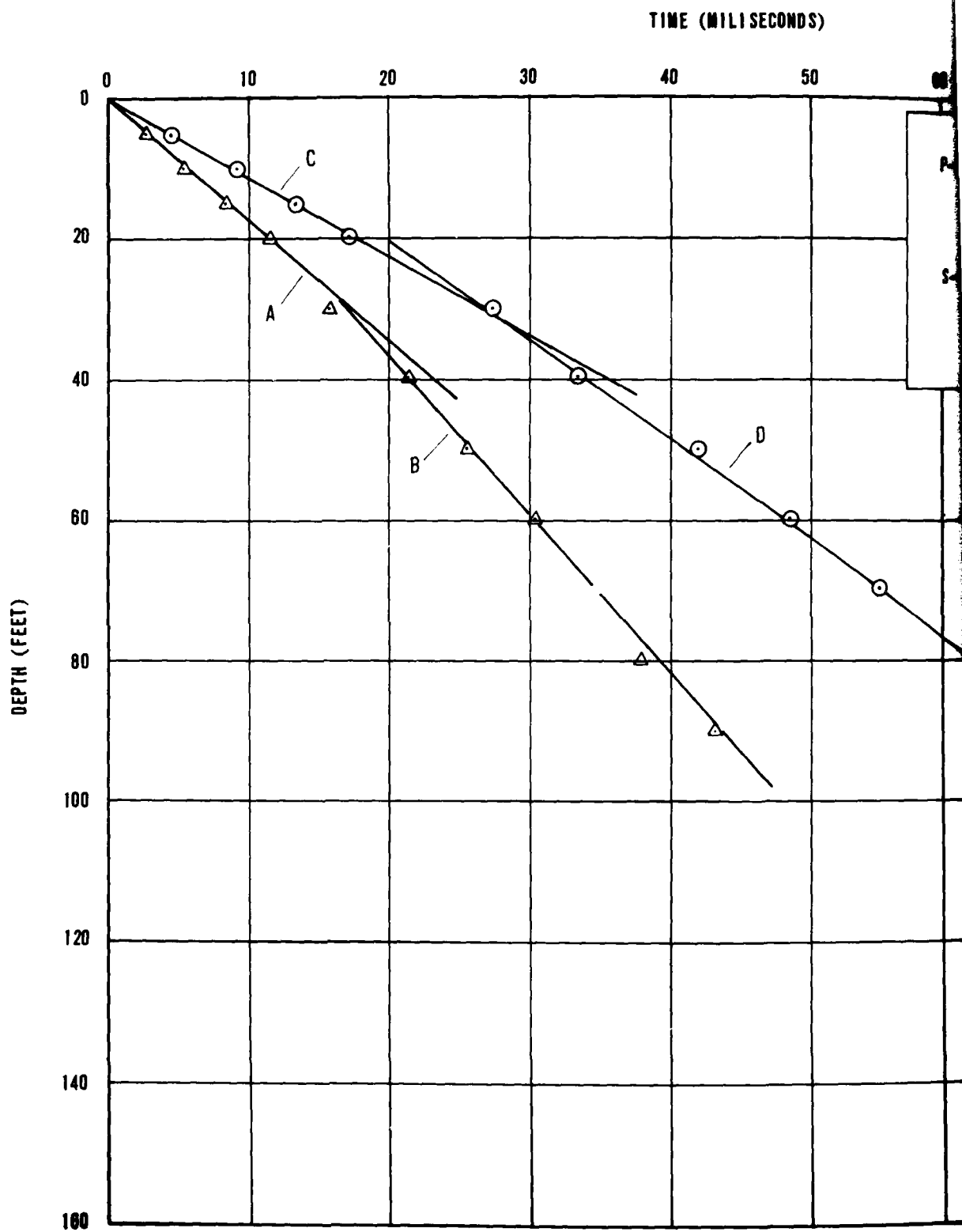
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DOWNHOLE SEISMIC VELOCITY DATA

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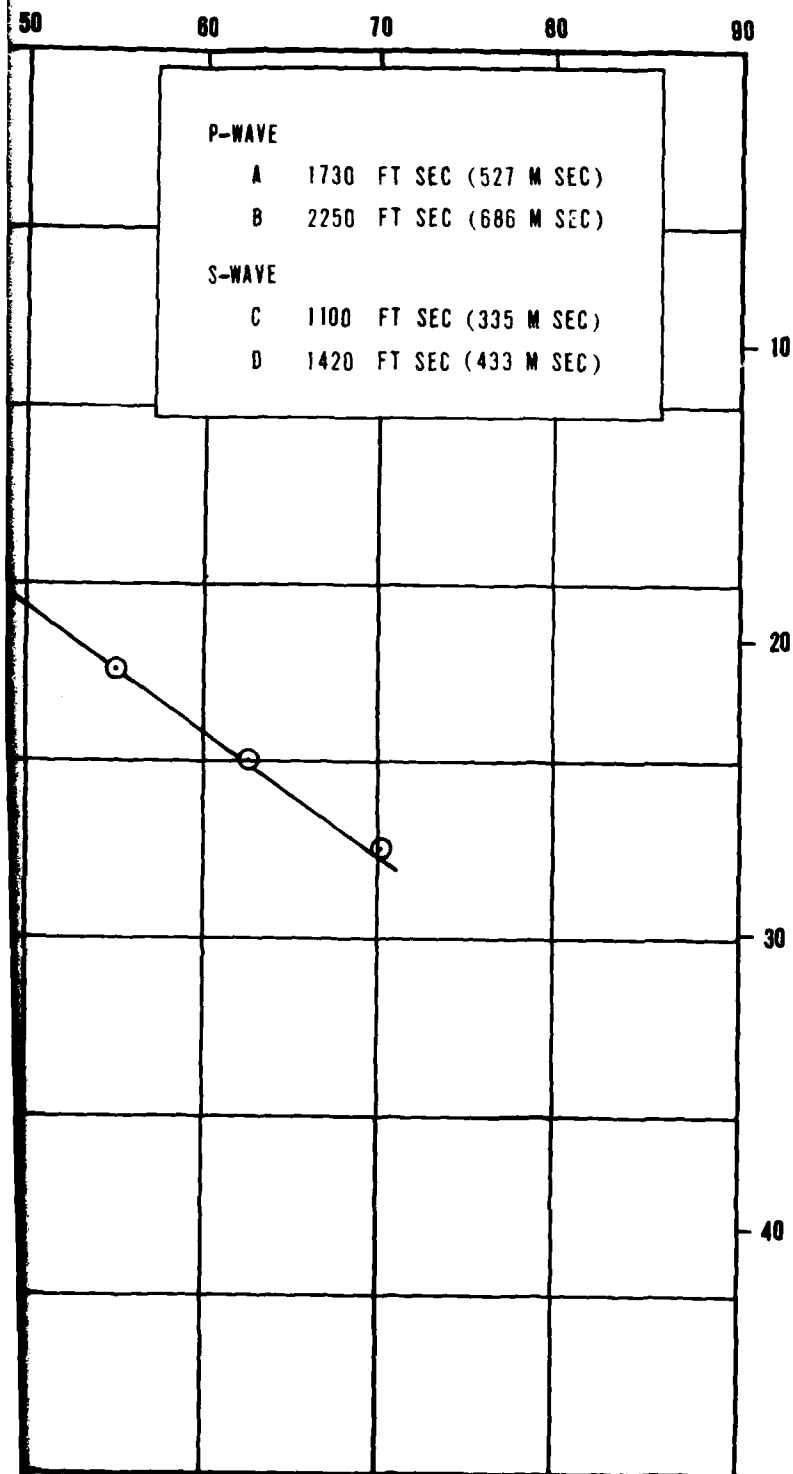
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The velocity profile is interpreted by fitting straight lines through groups of points. Each line segment shown is labeled with a letter. The velocities calculated from the slopes of the line segments are tabulated in the upper right hand corner of the graph.

A simplified log of the borings is shown to the right of the time versus depth graph.



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EXPLANATION

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- SHEAR WAVE DATA

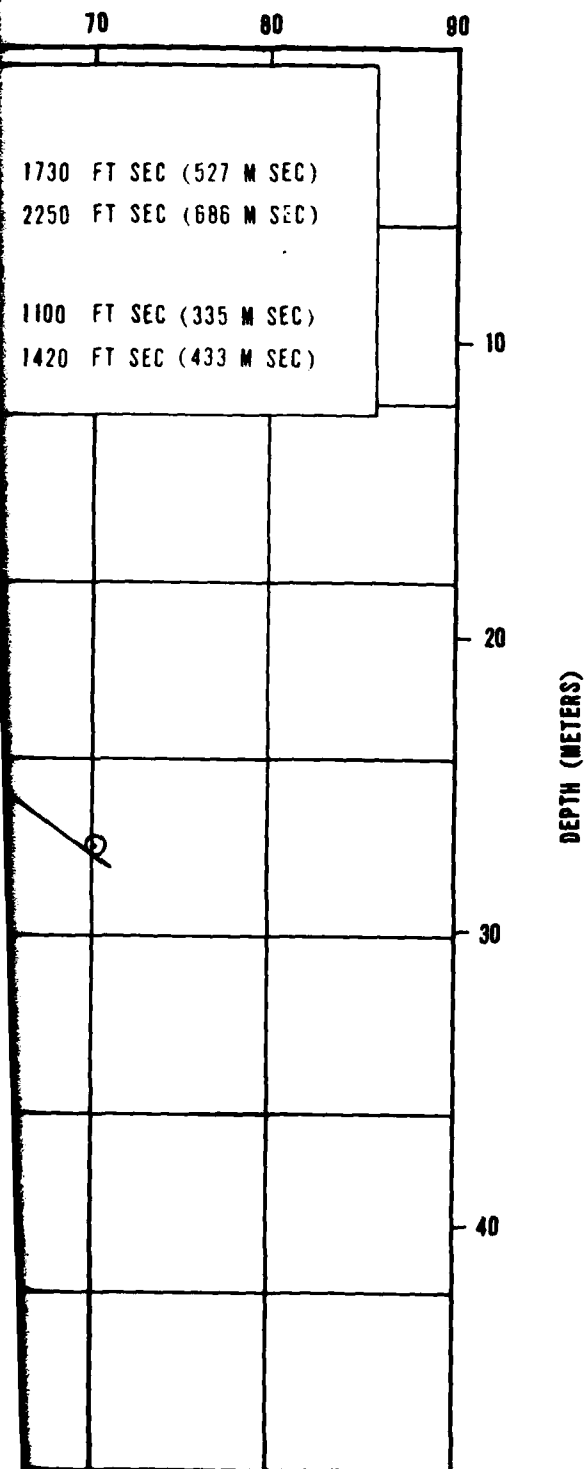
TIME VERSUS DEPTH
 DOWNHOLE SEISMIC VELOCITY
 BORING RV-3-5

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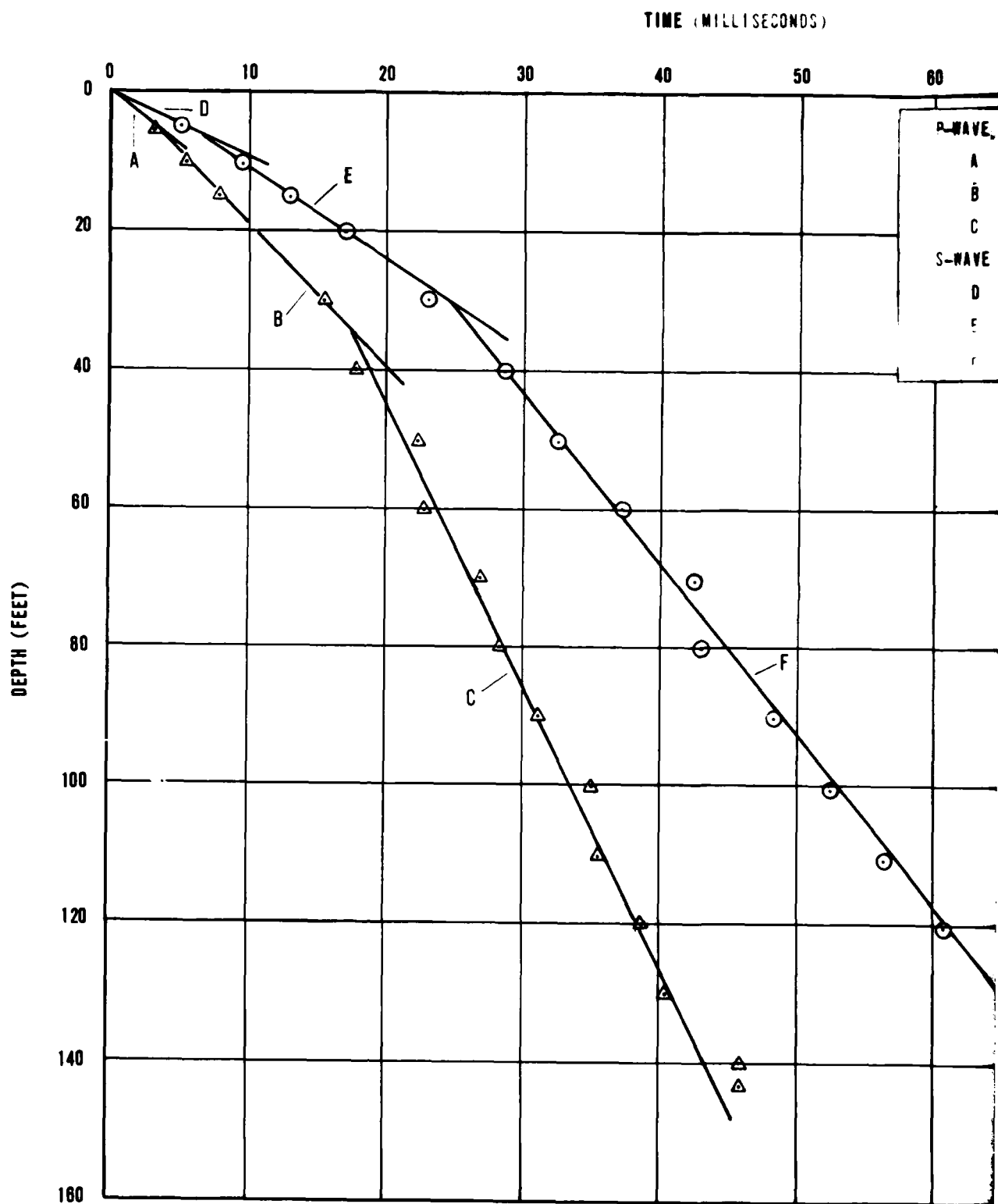
- △ COMPRESSIONAL WAVE DATA
○ SHEAR WAVE DATA

TIME VERSUS DEPTH GRAPH
DOWNHOLE SEISMIC VELOCITY SURVEY
BORING RV-B-5

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FIGURE
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(SECONDS)

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P-WAVE

A 1500 FT SEC (457 M SEC)
 B 2020 FT SEC (616 M SEC)
 C 4000 FT SEC (1219 M SEC)

S-WAVE

D 940 FT SEC (287 M SEC)
 E 1280 FT SEC (390 M SEC)
 F 2460 FT SEC (750 M SEC)

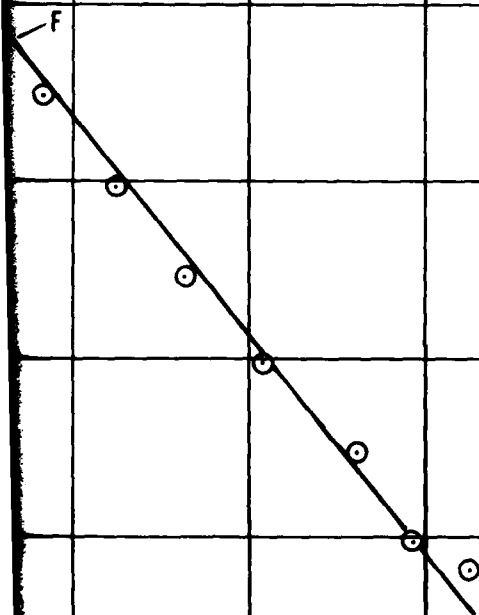
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	ML
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EXPLANATION

- △ COMPRESSIONAL WAVE
- SHEAR WAVE DATA

TIME VERSUS DEPTH
 DOWNHOLE SEISMIC VELOCITY
 BORING NO.

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FUGRO NATIONAL

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DEPTH (METERS)

LITHOLOGY

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EXPLANATION

- △ COMPRESSIONAL WAVE DATA
- SHEAR WAVE DATA

TIME VERSUS DEPTH GRAPH
DOWNHOLE SEISMIC VELOCITY SURVEY
BORING RV-8-3

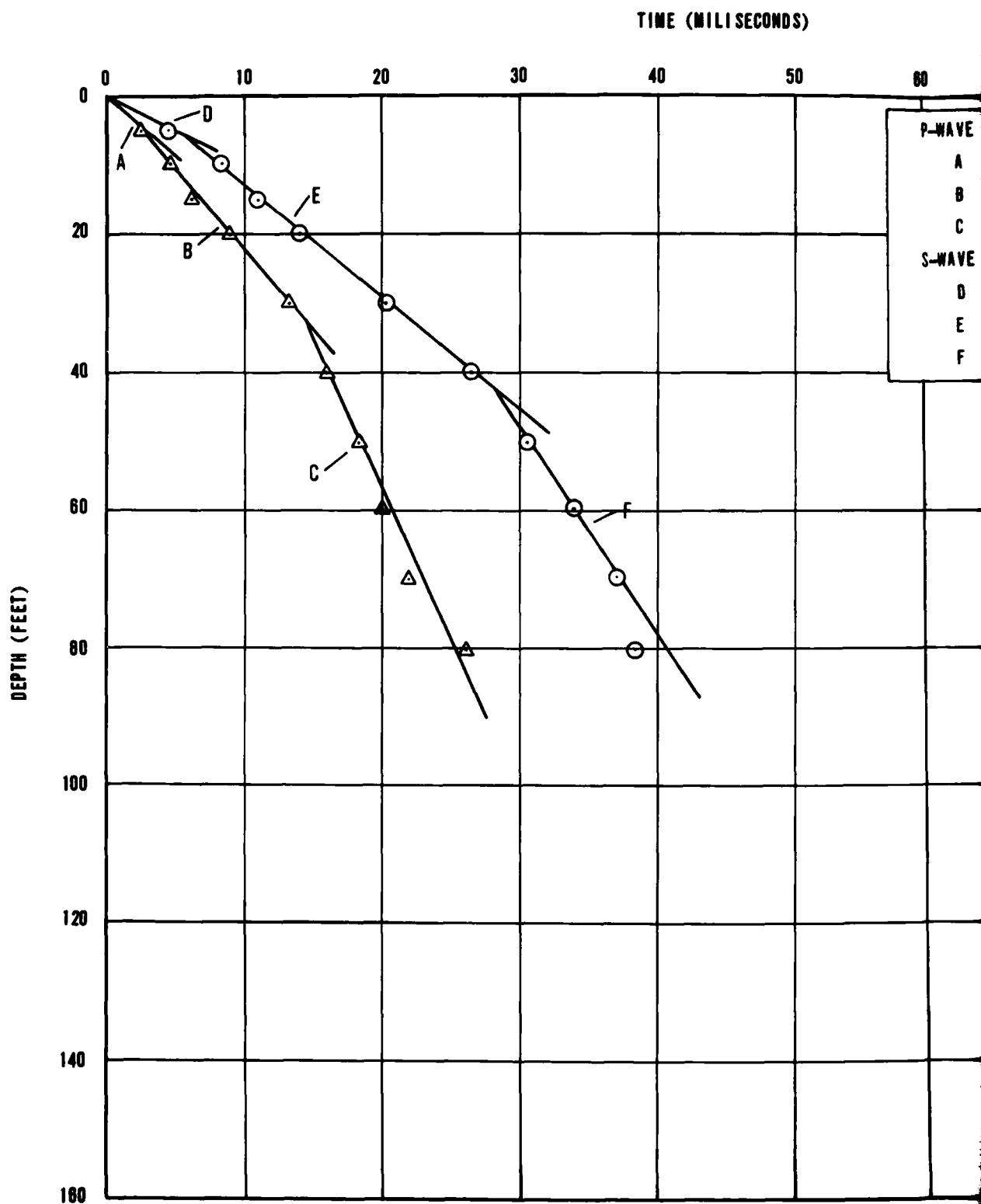
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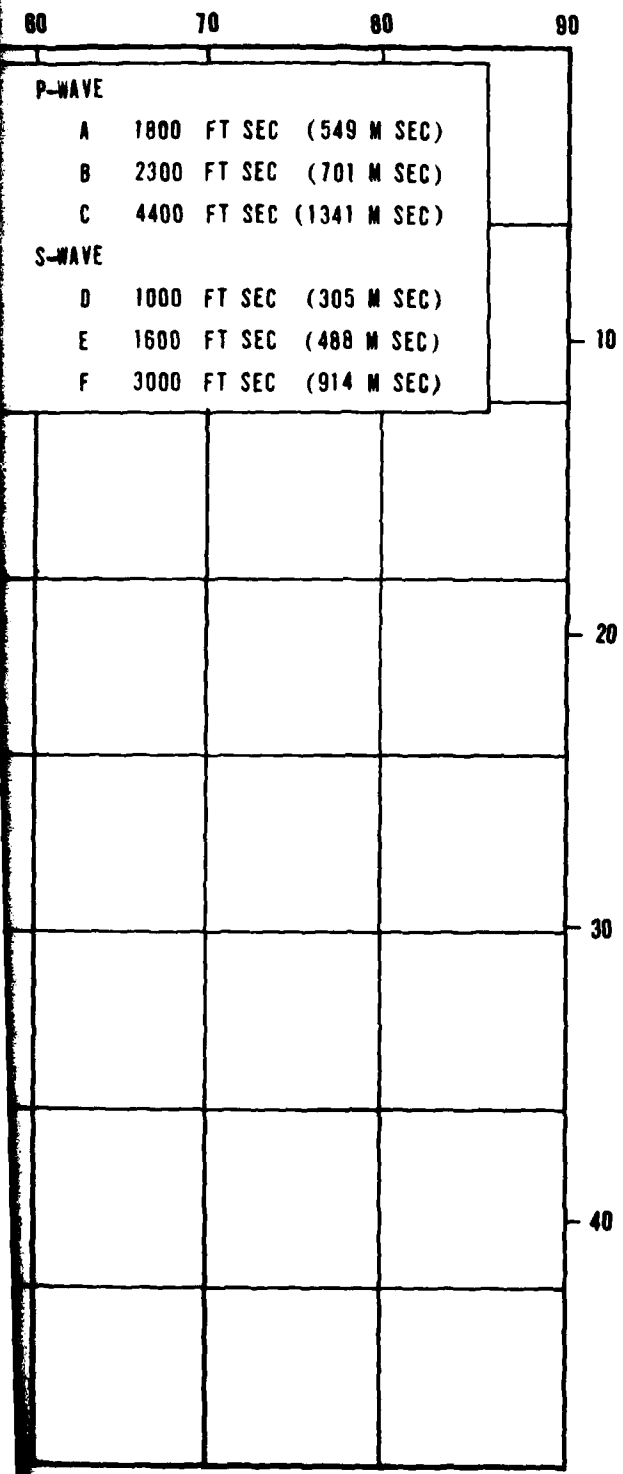
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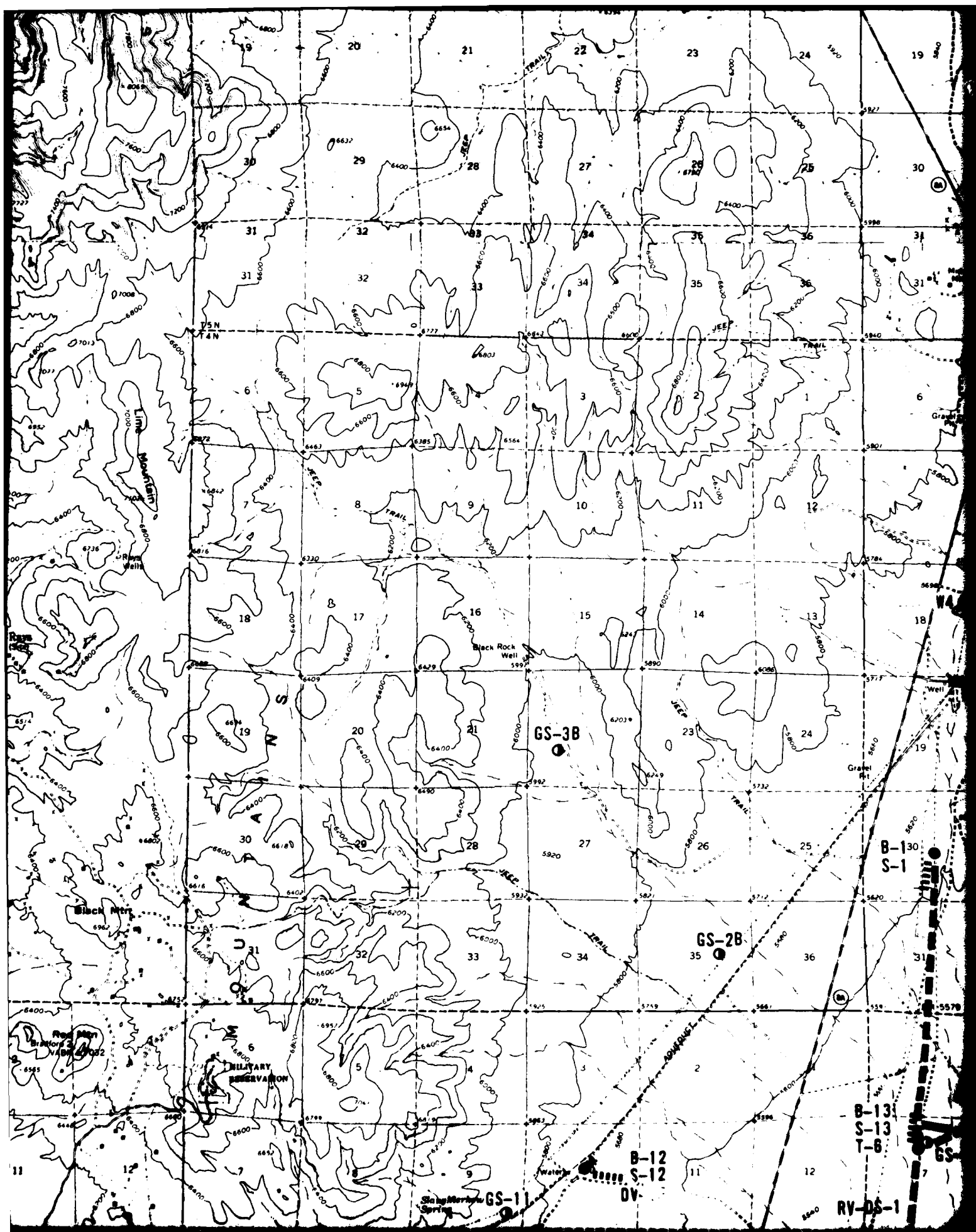


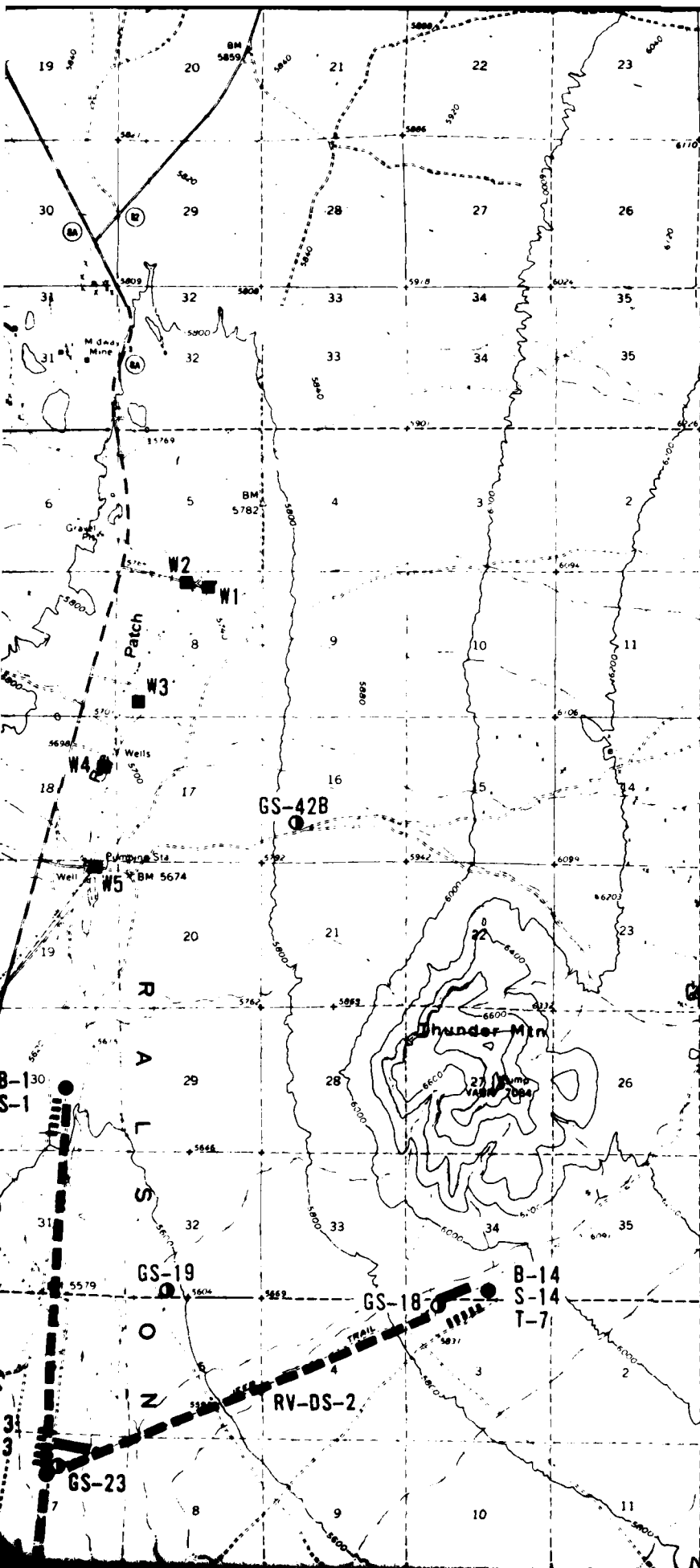
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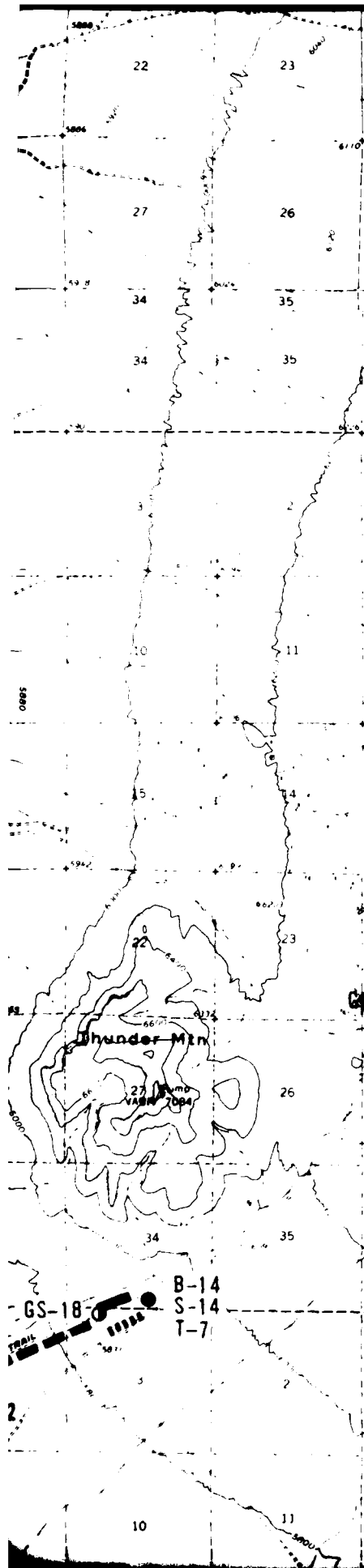
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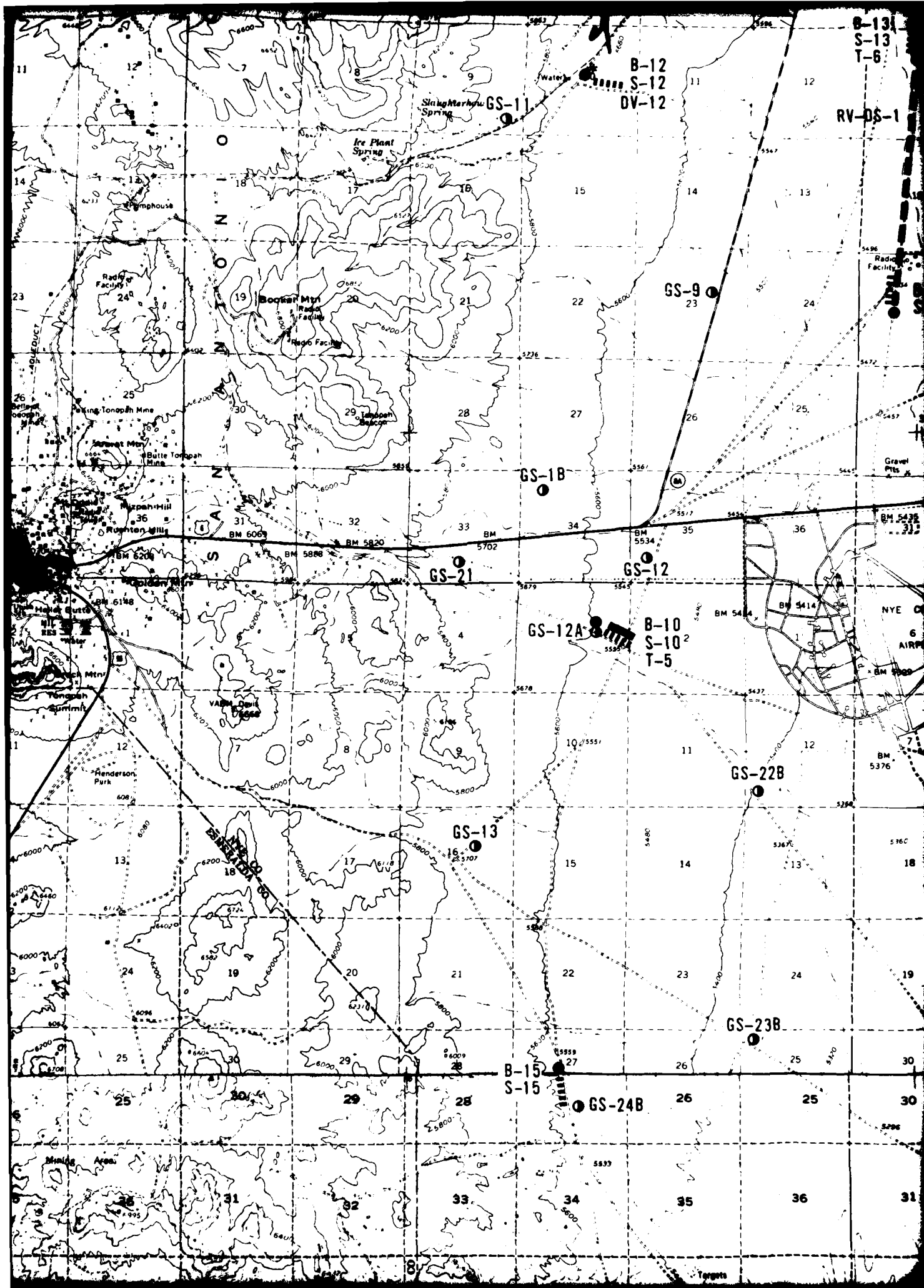
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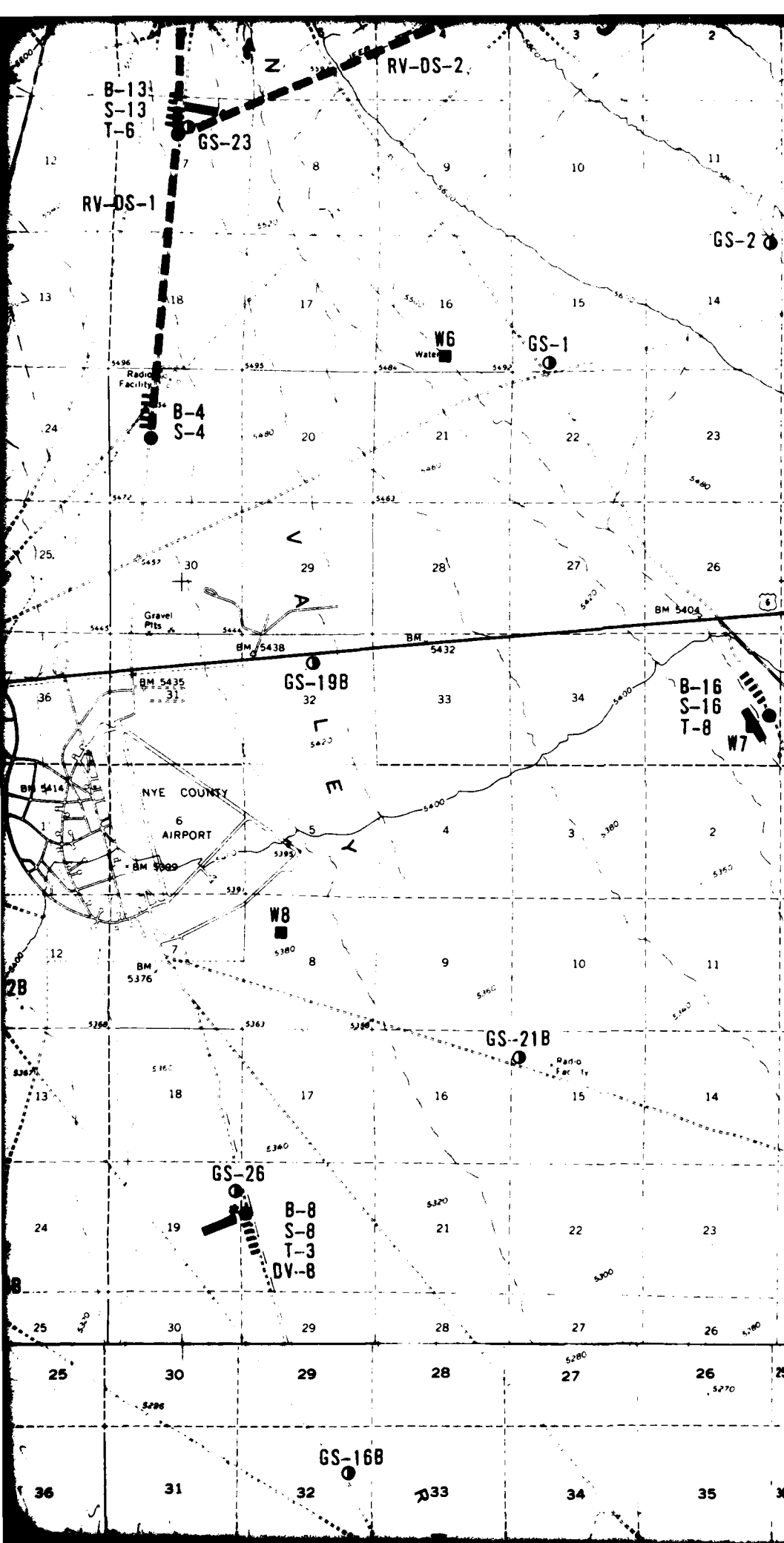
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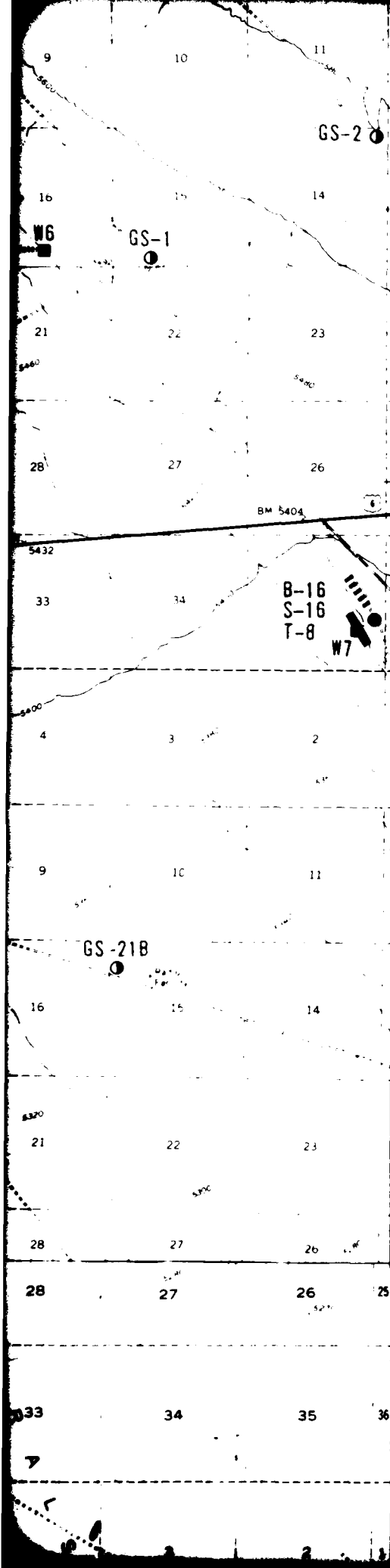


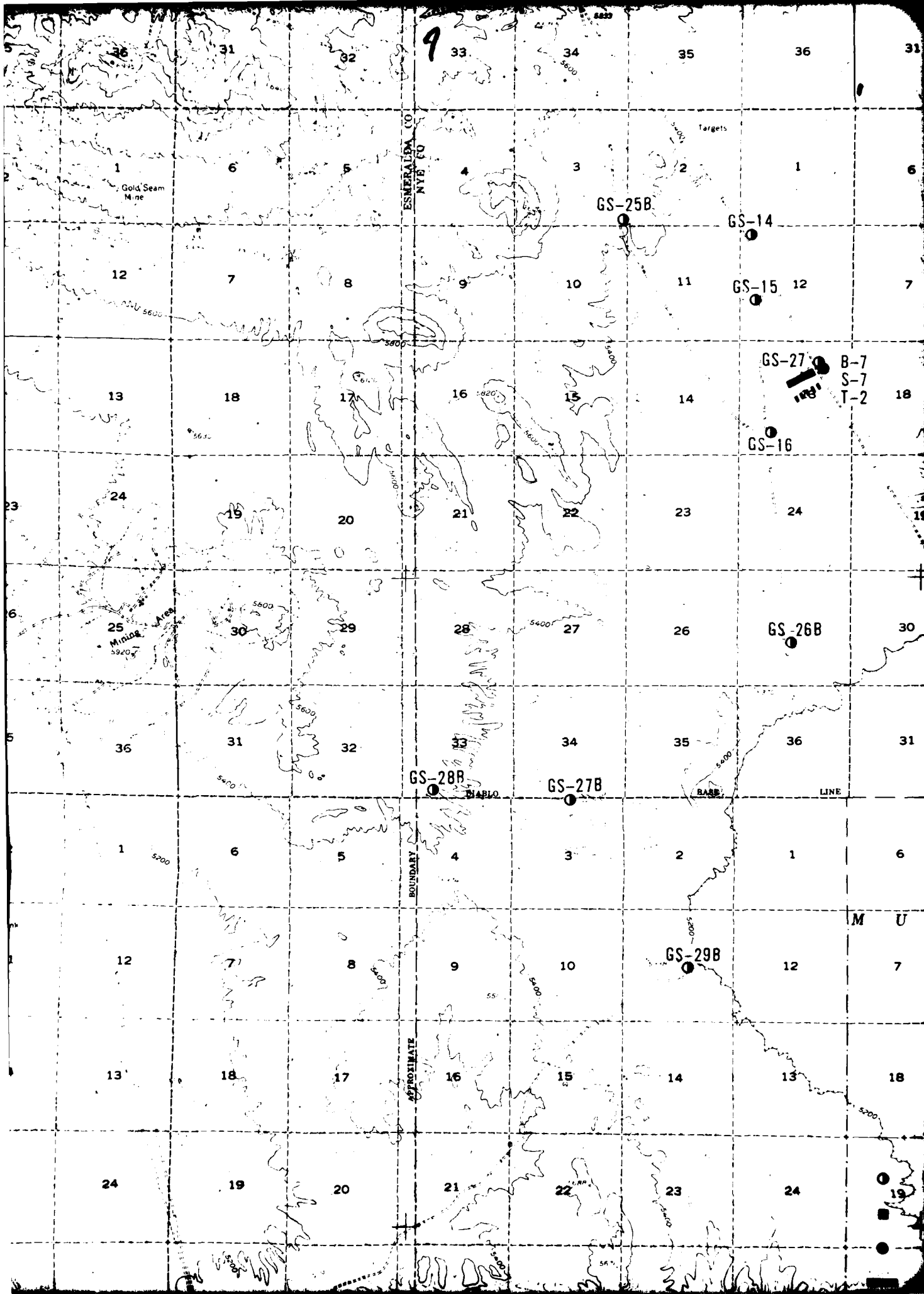


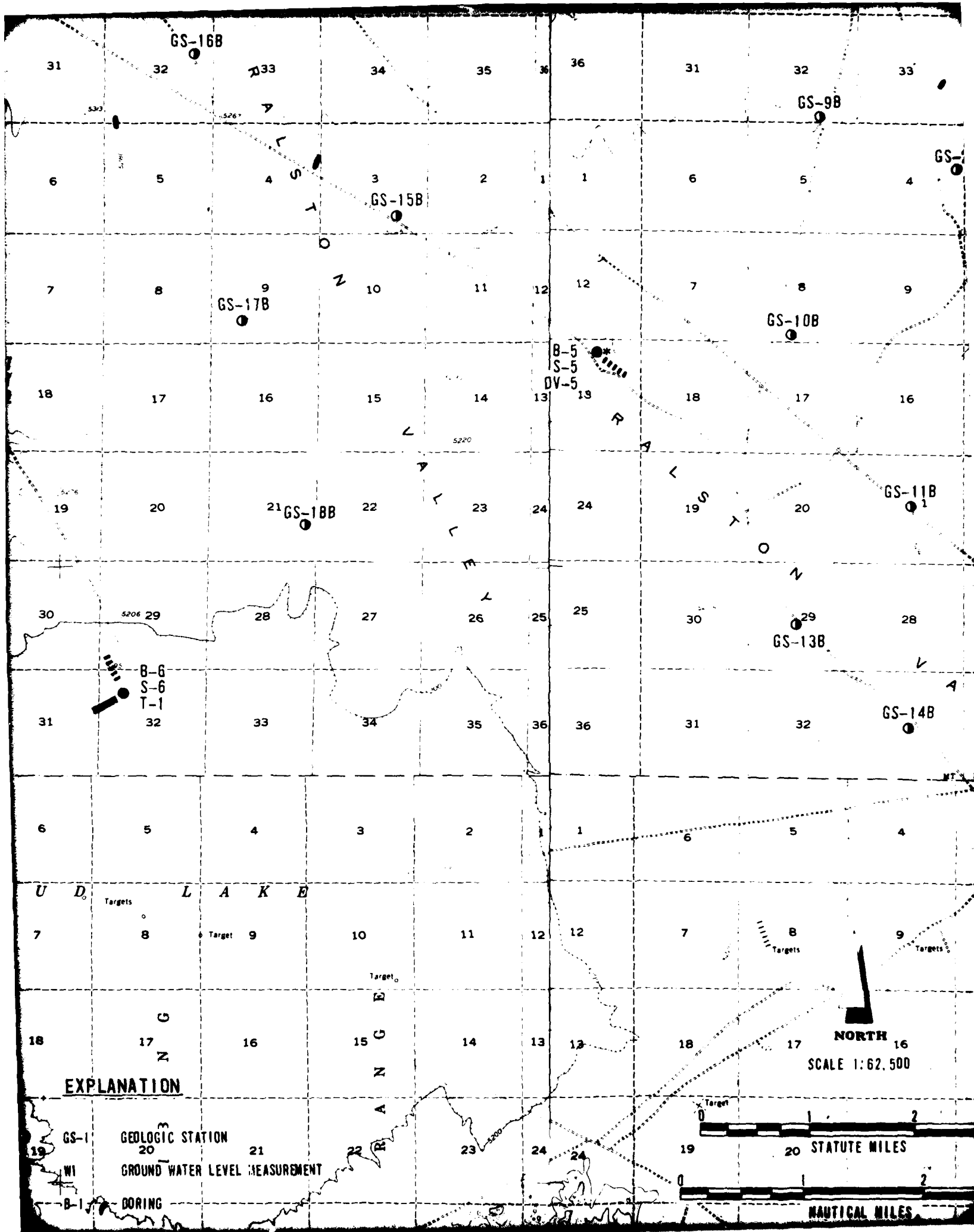


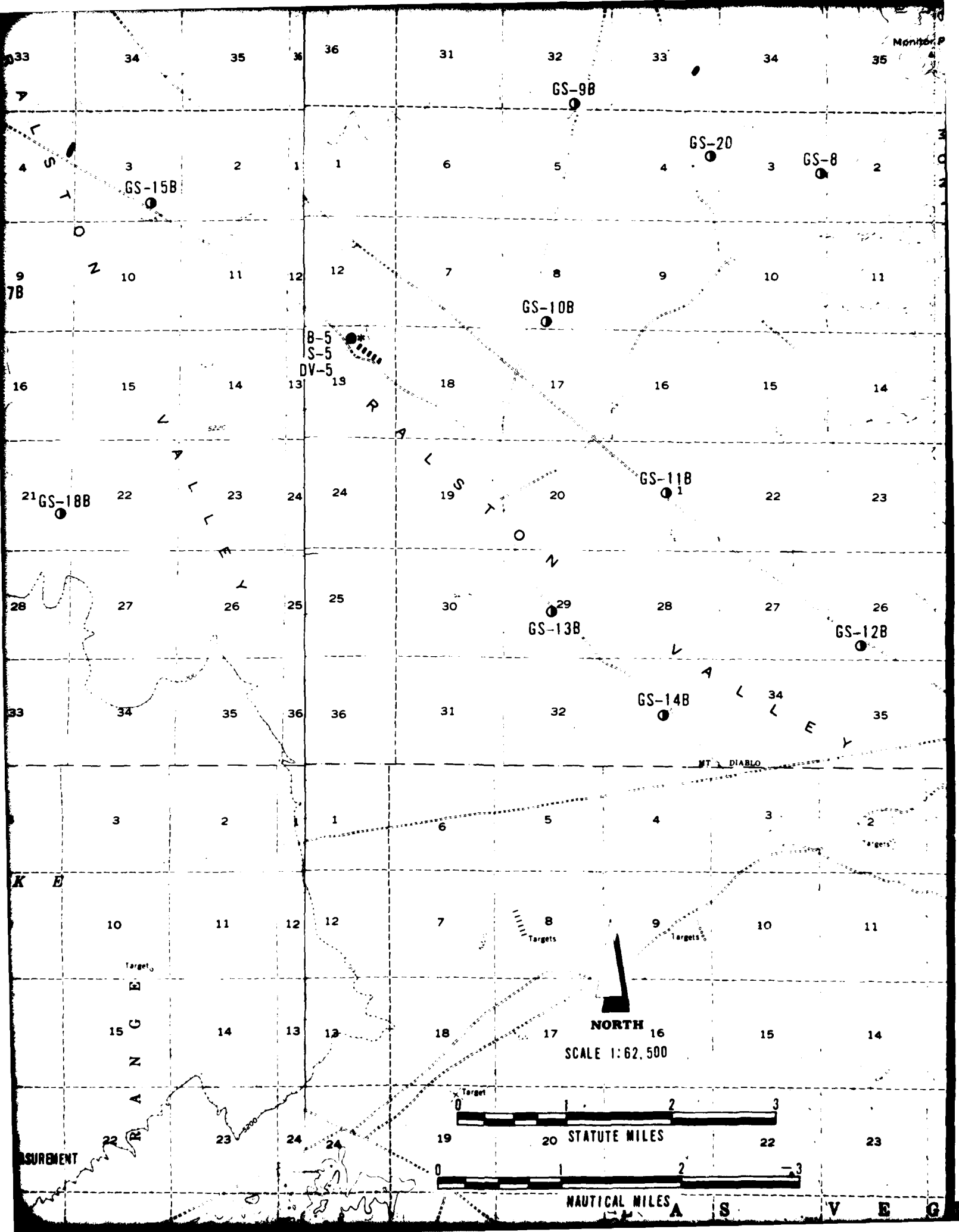












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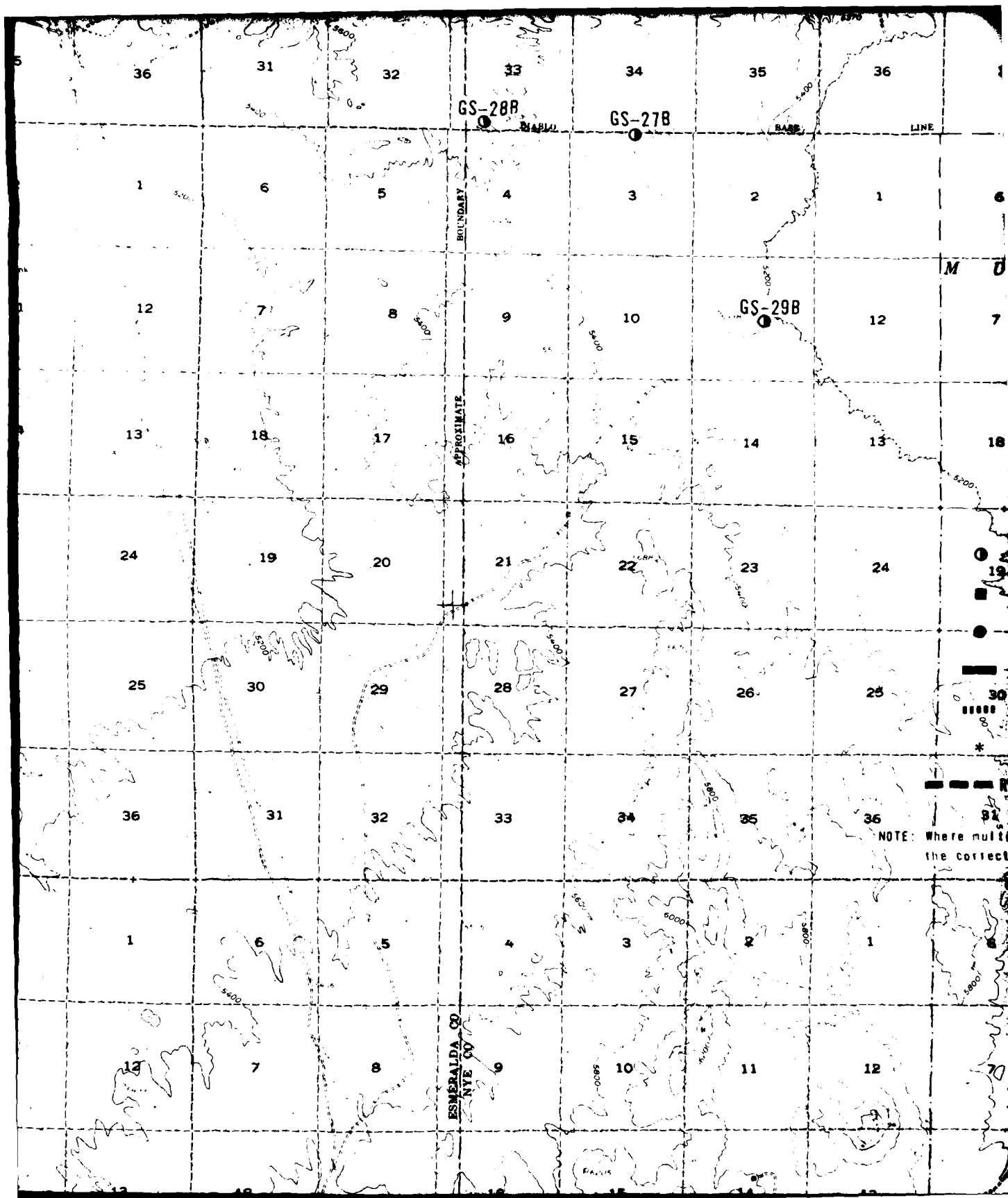
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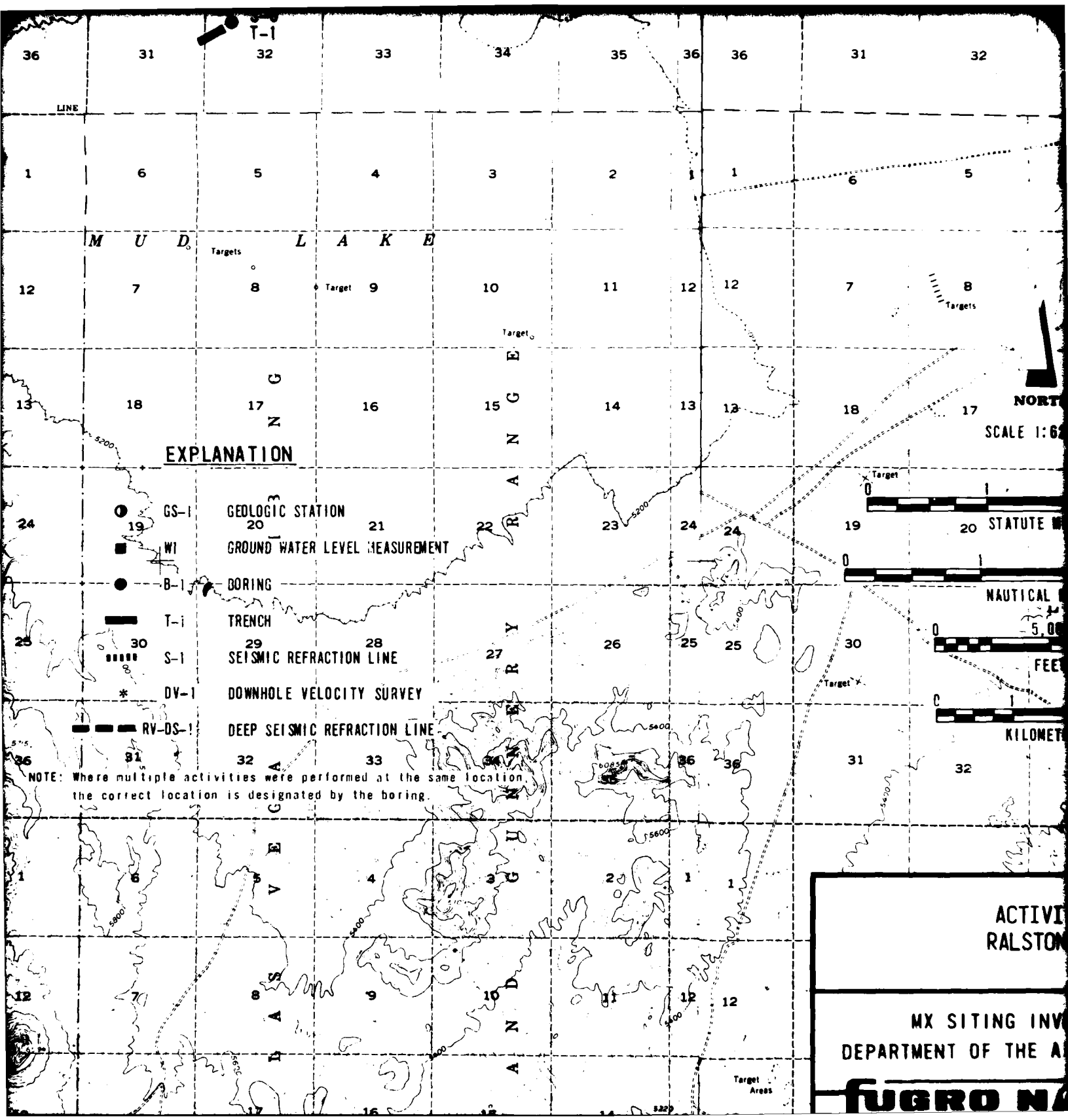
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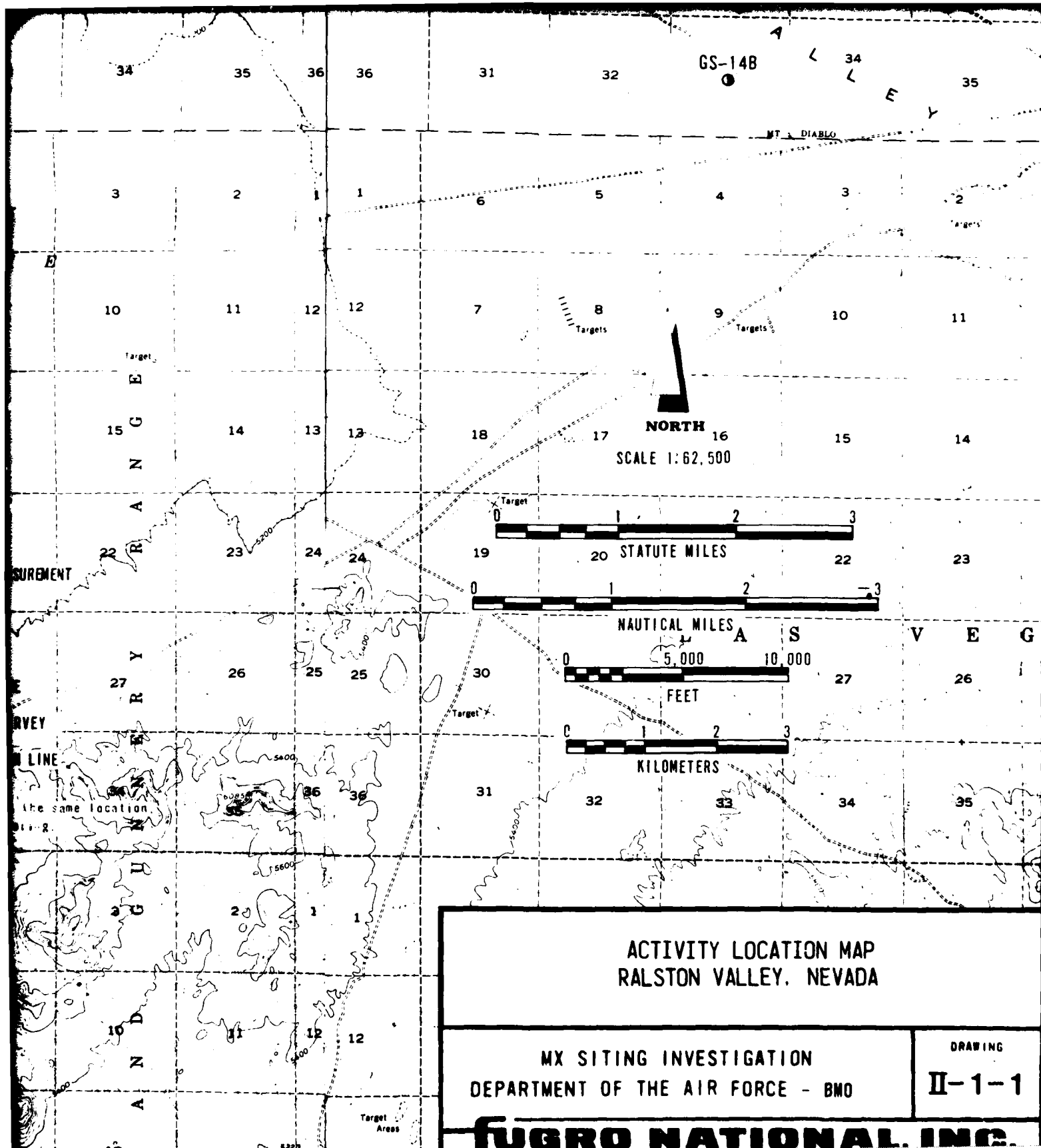
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